

ELECTED YESTERDAY

GOVERNOR—HORACE A. HILDRETH, Cumberland.
REPRESENTATIVE TO CONGRESS—MARGARET CHASE SMITH, Skowhegan.
STATE SENATOR—WILLIAM T. SMITH, Thomaston.
JUDGE OF PROBATE—HARRY E. WILBUR, Rockland.
CLERK OF COURTS—MILTON M. GRIFFIN, Rockland.
REGISTER OF DEEDS—HELENA H. COLTART, Rockland.
SHERIFF—C. EARLE LUDWICK, Rockland.
COUNTY ATTORNEY—STUART C. BURGESS, Rockland.
COUNTY COMMISSIONER—GEORGE E. BOYNTON, Camden.
REPRESENTATIVES TO LEGISLATURE—FREDERIC H. BIRD, and RUTH A. ELLINGWOOD, Rockland; CHARLES E. LORD, Camden; ARTHUR W. EMERSON, North Haven; ELMER S. BIRD, 2d., Washington; and ROY R. BELL of Thomaston.

Opens Next Week

And A Fine Hunting Season
Is Prophesied By Com'r
Stobie

A banner hunting season appears to be in prospect for gunners who take to the Maine woods during the coming season which opens on Sept. 20, as virtually all species of game birds and animals are reported to be plentiful throughout the State.

Except in isolated instances where deep, early snows last fall caused some casualties, Inland Fisheries and Game Commissioner Stobie reported the deer population to be at a high level and well able to withstand a toll even greater than last season's all time record bag of 24.

It is also said that both woodcock and partridge show an increase of about 20 percent over last year promising good sport for upland gunners.

With a good beechnut crop this year, hunters should find bear hunting good.

The upswing throughout the continent of the waterfowl population is reflected in Maine and gunners can well expect one of the best seasons in modern times.

Virtually all of the hunting camps will be open for business this fall and although guides will not be exactly a drug on the market it is expected that the supply will be ample. One drawback of the last few seasons—the shortage of ammunition—will be greatly eliminated this year with sporting goods stores reporting the receipt of supplies they believe will be adequate.

Last year thousands of gunners who roamed Maine's forests brought back game that greatly enhanced rationed meat supplies. The same will be true this year as official sources have warned that the thick beefsteaks of yesteryear will still be only a memory for some time to come.

All dates inclusive, the waterfowl

A Prisoner Of War

Sgt. Joyce Writes Home He
Is Playing In German
Prison Orchestra

Mrs. Lillian Joyce of Willow street, Rockland, has received several cards and two letters from her son, Tech. Sgt. Roy E. Joyce, who is a prisoner of war of the Germans in East Prussia. Sgt. Joyce, who was an engineer on a B-17 Flying Fortress, came down over Holland, March 6 of this year. One of these letters is dated April 14 and was received by Mrs. Joyce, Sept. 9. These are some of the excerpts from this letter:

"I wish I knew how long it takes these letters to go home, but guess I've plenty of time to wait till I hear from you. Things are going on about the same. I shall have plenty to tell you when I get home. The next time the Red Cross has a drive for money give them \$10 for me. They deserve all they can get for what they are doing for prisoners of war. I have a trumpet and am playing in camp orchestra. On pleasant days I do my studying out in the pasture and get my tan at the same time."

Mrs. Joyce says that a few lines in this letter were blacked out. She has no word as yet of any of her letters having reached her son.

season from Sept. 20 to Dec. 8; the partridge season from Oct. 1 to Nov. 15; the woodcock season from Oct. 10 to Oct. 14; the pheasant season from Nov. 1 to Nov. 14.

Deer hunting starts in Arrostook, Penobscot, Somerset, Piscataquis, Franklin and Oxford counties on Oct. 21. In all other counties the opening date is Nov. 1. From then on the entire state is open until the evening of Nov. 30.

The Bancroft School of Owl's Head, pupils and staff, will leave by special train at 6.30 a. m., Thursday for Haddonfield, N. J.

IT'S A REPUBLICAN YEAR

Yesterday's Results a Landslide, Snowslide Or
What Have You?—Bell Wins Only Knox
County Contest—Are You Thirsty?

On the basis of incomplete returns Horace A. Hildreth, Republican nominee for Governor, was elected yesterday to that office by a majority which may exceed 65,000. His Democratic opponent was Paul Jullien of Waterville. Swept into office by the great Republican landslide were the three Republican Congressmen, including Margaret Chase Smith of the Second District, who ran ahead of her ticket in a majority of the precincts.

Interest in the election was everywhere subordinated to the result on the four questions relating to the sale of liquor in various forms. Here in Knox County the political results were taken for granted, and at least nine out of ten telephone inquiries related to the vote on the questions.

Again the first town to report was South Thomaston, where David Pollock outdistanced the other towns by at least half an hour.

The complete vote of Knox County would have been tabulated soon after 10 o'clock but for the confusion which reigned in Ward 4 where the returns were not completed until 1 o'clock this morning.

The tabulating in The Courier-Gazette office was done by Clerk of Courts Milton M. Griffin, and the phone returns were taken by Sheriff C. Earle Ludwick and County Attorney Stuart C. Burgess. Volunteers from this office helped straighten out the situation in Ward 4.

KNOX COUNTY VOTE

Governor—Hildreth, R., 4819.
Jullien, D., 1214.
Congress—Smith, R., 4877; Staples, D., 1070.
State Senator—Smith, R., 4804.
Judge of Probate—Wilbur, R., 4828.
Clerk of Courts—Griffin, R., 4849.
Register of Deeds—Coltart, R., 4848.
Sheriff—Ludwick, R., 4840.
County Attorney—Burgess, R., 4841.
Commissioner—Boynton, R., 4812.

The Representative Vote

The solitary contest in Knox County concerned the vote for Representative to Legislature in the Thomaston class, where Roy R. Bell was the Republican candidate and Frank A. Linekin was on the Democratic ticket. Bell carried every town by the following vote:

	Bell	Linekin
Thomaston	354	178
South Thomaston	57	27
Friendship	106	35
Cushing	46	13
Owl's Head	83	24
Totals	646	277

Others elected to the House of Representatives—all Republicans, and with no opposition—were: Frederic H. Bird and Ruth A. Ellingwood of Rockland, Charles E. Lord of Camden, Arthur E. Emerson of North Haven and Elmer S. Bird, 2d of Washington.

Wet and Dry Questions
The four questions which created so much turmoil in yesterday's election were:

Question No. 1—"Shall State stores for the sale of liquor be operated by permission of the State liquor commission in this city or town?"

Question No. 2—"Shall licenses be granted in this city or town under regulation of the State liquor commission for the sale therein of wine and spirits to be consumed on the premises?"

Question No. 3—"Shall licenses be granted in this city or town for the sale therein of malt liquor (beer, ale and other malt beverages), to be consumed on the premises?"

Question No. 4—"Shall licenses be granted in this city or town for the sale therein of malt liquor (beer, ale and other malt beverages) not to be consumed on the premises?"

CARD OF THANKS

To my friends throughout Knox County I want to express my sincere gratitude for the loyal support they gave me at the polls yesterday.

C. EARLE LUDWICK

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HOW THE COUNTY VOTED

	GOVERNOR 1944	GOVERNOR 1942
	Rep.	Dem.
APPLETON	103	27
CAMDEN	812	235
CUSHING	51	10
FRIENDSHIP	116	28
HOPE	65	13
NORTH HAVEN	107	1
OWL'S HEAD	85	24
ROCKLAND	1894	512
ROCKPORT	200	46
ST. GEORGE	171	30
SOUTH THOMASTON	60	25
THOMASTON	408	118
UNION	176	26
VINALHAVEN	161	40
WARREN	275	24
WASHINGTON	135	55
MATINICUS		19
ISLE AU HAUT		18
Totals	4819	1214

APPLETON
Governor—Hildreth, R., 103; Jullien, D., 27.
Congress—Smith, R., 104; Staples, D., 27.
State Senator—Smith, R., 97.
Judge of Probate—Wilbur, R., 99.
Clerk of Courts—Griffin, R., 99.
Register of Deeds—Coltart, R., 99.
Sheriff—Ludwick, R., 98.
County Attorney—Burgess, R., 98.
Commissioner—Boynton, R., 97.
Legislature—Lord, R., 99.

Questions
1 Yes 39 No 56
2 Yes 35 No 60
3 Yes 44 No 59
4 Yes 86 No 53
Amendment Yes 83 No 40

CAMDEN
Governor—Hildreth, R., 812; Jullien, D., 235.
Congress—Smith, R., 833; Staples, D., 212.
State Senator—Smith, R., 798.
Judge of Probate—Wilbur, R., 804.
Clerk of Courts—Griffin, R., 814.
Sheriff—Ludwick, R., 804.
Register of Deeds—Coltart, R., 800.
County Attorney—Burgess, R., 814.
Boynton—Commissioner, R., 866.
Legislature—Lord, R., 848.

Questions
1 Yes 472 No 561
2 Yes 314 No 674
3 Yes 339 No 665
4 Yes 631 No 458
Amendment Yes 769 No 223

CUSHING
Governor—Hildreth, R., 51; Jullien, D., 10.
Congress—Smith, R., 54; Staples, D., 8.
State Senator—Smith, R., 54.
Judge of Probate—Wilbur, R., 53.
Clerk of Courts—Griffin, R., 53.
Register of Deeds—Coltart, R., 52.
Sheriff—Ludwick, R., 52.
County Attorney—Burgess, R., 52.

ROCKLAND'S VOTE ON LIQUOR SALE

	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4
Yes	211	166	166	148
No	161	109	122	108
Totals	4172	818	1308	1135

Commissioner—Boynton, R., 51.
Legislature—Bell, R., 46; Linekin, D., 13.
Questions
1 Yes 23 No 29
2 Yes 21 No 31
3 Yes 21 No 31
4 Yes 21 No 30
Amendment Yes 8 No 42

ROCKPORT
Governor—Hildreth, R., 200; Jullien, D., 46.
Congress—Smith, R., 206; Staples, D., 42.
State Senator—Smith, R., 203.
Judge of Probate—Wilbur, R., 201.
Clerk of Courts—Griffin, R., 204.
Register of Deeds—Coltart, R., 204.
Sheriff—Ludwick, R., 199.
County Attorney—Burgess, R., 201.
Commissioner—Boynton, R., 202.
Legislature—Bird, R., 202.

Questions
1 Yes 70 No 172
2 Yes 54 No 178
3 Yes 56 No 177
4 Yes 73 No 166
Amendment Yes 129 No 94

ST. GEORGE
Governor—Hildreth, R., 171; Jullien, D., 30.
Congress—Smith, R., 163; Staples, D., 27.

TO THE PUBLIC
WE ARE NOW SERVING
THREE MEALS PER DAY
EVERY DAY IN THE WEEK
(Sundays Included)
THORNDIKE HOTEL
ROCKLAND, MAINE

The Black Cat



(By The Roaming Reporter)

The wartime increase of life insurance owned in the United States from Pearl Harbor in mid-1944, exclusive of National Service Life Insurance, has been approximately twenty billion dollars, which is an amount greater than the total life insurance owned in the country at any time prior to 1913.

One year ago Rockland High School registration showed a falling off—Robert Charles of Rockland saved a man from drowning in Fairhaven, Mass.—Ballard Business School suspended after 10 busy years—Among the deaths: Warren, Fred M. Kenniston, 66; Thomaston, Mrs. Carl Charles, 46; Thomaston, Mrs. Henry Batchelder of Warren, 66; Camden, Mrs. Lelia Payson, 74; Vinalhaven, William Benner, 83; Louisville, Ky., Mrs. Bertha Reuter, formerly of Rockland, 79; Camden, Mrs. Willard Tiffany, 67; Cushing, Mrs. Alonzo Seavey, 66; Rockland, Major Joseph Smith, 36; Rockland, Mrs. Ida Huntley, 62; Rockland, Lenora Hamilton Brown, 70.

"Look where you're going!" The expression brings back to my mind an injunction we have all heard in our childhood days. And I never fail to recall it as I see mothers walking along the street "dragging" children who persist in looking backward instead of ahead. Many a fall, many a childish outcry, and many a scolding have resulted. But history continues to repeat itself.

When we think of Thanksgiving, which, by the way falls on Nov. 23 this year, we are wondering if we are going to be just as thankful as war conditions now indicate. And what if there should be another Armistice Nov. 11?

A Jay See asks through The Black Cat where Congress Mountain is located in Knox County. And of course any schoolboy can tell. Or can he?

M. T. wants to know the date on which the Middle street schoolhouse, now occupied by Pleasant Valley Grange, was built. Chance for some oldtimer to oblige.

If you wish to be correct do not call it the Rockland Airport or the Rockland Naval Station. It is the "Naval Air Facility" at Ash Point.

Fred C. Green, editor of the Watertown (Mass.) Sun, who came down for a brief visit at his wife's former home in Thomaston, invaded The Courier-Gazette's editorial rooms yesterday, beaming with customary good nature. His duties with the Sun have kept him extremely busy, and days off have been few and far between, but he has been rewarded by seeing that newspaper's circulation double. Weighing political prospects with an uncommonly acute grasp Editor Green believes Massachusetts will be found in the Republican column in November, but he believes that Mayor Tobin, whom he has served in a secretarial capacity has a "look in" for the Governorship.

OWL'S HEAD
Governor—Hildreth, R., 85; Jullien, D., 24.
Congress—Smith, R., 86; Staples, D., 22.
State Senator—Smith, R., 87.
Judge of Probate—Wilbur, R., 88.
Clerk of Courts—Griffin, R., 88.
Register of Deeds—Coltart, R., 88.
Sheriff—Ludwick, R., 87.
County Attorney—Burgess, R., 88.
Commissioner—Boynton, R., 87.
Legislature—Bell, R., 83; Linekin, D., 24.
Questions
1 Yes 50 No 49
2 Yes 34 No 65
3 Yes 33 No 68
4 Yes 37 No 64
Amendment Yes 71 No 29

YOUR FAVORITE POEM
If I had my life to live again I would have made a rule to read some poetry and listen to some music at least once a week. The loss of these tastes is a loss of happiness.—Charles Darwin.
LIFE
Fate treated me meanly
But I looked at her and laughed
That none might know the
Bitter cup I quaffed.
Along came joy, and paused beside
Me where I sat.
Saying, "I came to see what you
Were laughing at."
—Anonymous.

MY THANKS TO YOU

To the voters of Thomaston, South Thomaston, Friendship, Owl's Head and Cushing, goes my heartfelt appreciation for the loyal support given me yesterday at the polls.

ROY R. BELL

Thomaston, Sept. 12.

MONEY FOR HOMES

TO HELP BUILD—BUY
MODERNIZE—REFINANCE
EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS
Rockland Loan & Building Association
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The Bath Iron Works has contracts extending through the year of 1945.

The Bath Iron Works offers exceptionally fine prospects for welders (or we will train you for one of these jobs) and we have openings for some skilled, and many unskilled, men in virtually all departments.

The War Manpower Commission recognizes the urgency of these fighting ships being completed on schedule and, if you are eligible for employment here, such can be arranged through any United States Employment Service office in Maine.

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The Courier-Gazette

TWICE-A-WEEK

Book Review

K. S. F.

"Take An Hour To Say No." One of the largest and highest class heads of our country's restaurant men has this to say on this subject.

Almost every one of us has had the experience of being treated haughtily or even discourteously since the war began. Many of us will remember these instances long after the war is over. Believing Mr. Wheeler's common sense presentation of the situation will be very helpful at this time, we present it to our managers and personnel.

An application of the tips offered in this booklet will result in much friendship on the part of the customer, and we will feel better for having rendered better service, says S. L. Bickford, president of the Bickford restaurants. Take An Hour To Say No. By Elmer Wheeler.

This small publication might profit every business man if he would heed the excellent advice found in its pages. Have a little book. Call it your "black book." Jot down every insult given you in the name of "It's War Time." And don't you fall into this classification where people are marking you and your business in their little black book.

Don't be too quick with your "No I'm all out of that!" Try a smile and try a substitute—the smile will help you sell it, whatever it is. Never ration your courtesy but hold it ready for every condition that may arise. Keep your name out of the black book of discourtesy by a smile and a willingness to do what and all you can.

No matter how rushed you are, take time to smile your politest. Too many business men and clerks are ready with the sold out sign. Show interest even sorrow if you are out of what the customer wants. That will help his and your morale and hold friends. It would pay every business man and woman to study this publication and then they would "Take An Hour To Say No."

Kathleen S. Fuller

UNION

Charles Hoyt spent Saturday at Spruce Head.

Roger Stone and family, who rented the Stickney cottage, Crawford Lake, for the last month, have returned to Belmont, Mass.

A dinner will be served at the Methodist church Wednesday noon.

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FOR GOOD CLEAN
USED CARS**

**Miller's Garage
ROCKLAND
USED CARS**

A Woozy Brainbuster

Boston Man Answers Sgt. Teague's Enigma, Or Does He?

Boston, Sept. 7

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—Here is my answer to Sergeant Teague's brainbuster:

Brakeman's name must be Smith or Jones.

Mr. Robertson lives in Detroit. Fireman's name must be Jones or Robertson.

He played billiards with Smith. Engineer's name must be Smith or Robertson.

Brakeman cannot be Robertson. Fireman cannot be Smith.

Mr. Jones earns too little to have his salary three times that of brakeman, so Mr. Smith must be the brakeman's nearest neighbor and Mr. Jones must live in Chicago and have the same name as the brakeman.

Since the fireman's name cannot be Jones, it must be Robertson.

Since the engineer's name cannot be Robertson, it must be Smith. Thus Smith, the engineer, played billiards with Robertson the fireman.

What Jones the brakeman and Mr. Smith his nearest neighbor were doing meantime history fails to relate. Possibly Ford of Chicago and Robertson of Detroit were playing a game of chess by mail.

(Dr.) Nathaniel K. Wood

For Duck Hunters

The Wildlife Service Issues Timely Tips—Season Opens Sept. 20

Open season on ducks' geese and woodcock in Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, opens Sept. 20 continuing until Dec. 9, and on woodcock from Oct. 10 to Oct. 24.

The U. S. Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service issues the following laws in regard to daily bag limits. Ducks, 10 of any one kind or in any combination of all kinds, except American and redbreasted mergansers, but including in such limit not more than one wood duck. In addition to this total on 10, a person may also kill five more mallards, not black ducks, or five more pintails, or five more wood geese, or five more mallards, pintails, and wood geese, in any combination even though he has these species, or some of them in his bag limit of 10. Scoters or sea coots are classed as ducks.

American and redbreasted mergansers, 25 of either or in the aggregate of both kinds.

In regard to possession limits, the Department says—Not more than 20 ducks of any one kind or in combination of all kinds, except American and redbreasted mergansers, but including in such limit not more than one wood duck. In addition to this total bag of 20, a person may also possess ten more mallards, not black ducks, or ten more pintails, or ten more wood geese, or ten more mallards, pintails, and wood geese, in any combination even though he has these species, or some of them in his possession limit of 20. There is also a two-days' bag limit of woodcocks.

Possession of migratory game birds is permitted for not more than 45 days following the close of the open season in the State where taken. Possession on opening day of the season is limited to the daily bag.

SUMMER SCHEDULE VINALHAVEN II

Leave Vinalhaven 7 A. M. Arrive Rockland 8:20 A. M.
Rockland 9:30 A. M. Vinalhaven 10:50 A. M.
Vinalhaven 1 P. M. Rockland 2:20 P. M.
Rockland 3:30 P. M. Vinalhaven 4:50 P. M.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS

Starting Sunday, June 18 Will Run Sundays
Vinalhaven Port District 47-11

SUNDAY EXCURSIONS VIA STR. VINALHAVEN II TO VINALHAVEN

Lv. Vinalhaven for Rockland Sat. 5:30 P. M.
Lv. McLoon Wharf for Vinalhaven 8:30 A. M.
Lv. Vinalhaven for Rockland 4:00 P. M.
Steamer will return to Vinalhaven at 5:30 P. M.
each Sunday
Vinalhaven Port District 47-11

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Lv. North Haven 8 A. M. Arr. Rockland 9:20 A. M.
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Special Saturday Night Trip—Lv. North Haven 6:30 for Rockland
Special Sunday Excursions—Lv. Rockland 8 A. M. for North
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Return 7:30 P. M.
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THE COURIER-GAZETTE

TWICE-A-WEEK

Editor, FRANK A. WINSLOW
Associate Editor, MRS. WILLIAM O. FULLER

The Rockland Gazette was established in 1846. In 1874 the Courier was established and consolidated with the Gazette in 1882. The Free Press was established in 1885 and in 1891 changed its name to the Tribune. These papers consolidated March 17, 1897.
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Advertising rates based upon circulation and very reasonable.

[EDITORIAL]

The greatest guessing game of the age concerns the date on which the European war will end. The commentators who prophesied that the happy culmination would take place on Labor Day are in the

red, and the same fate will undoubtedly overtake those who were certain that it would be on mid-September. Bets upon all sides the Germans have withdrawn to their own "sacred soil," but not beyond the bombardment by the Allies' heavy artillery. The strength of German defenses in the Fatherland is a matter of pure conjecture. Foreseeing what has already happened the Huns have had abundant opportunity to prepare an ironclad defense, and with their admitted ingenuity it is probably of the ironclad type, postponing our advance possibly until Winter, which, of course is the Germans' hope. The question of supplies will also enter into the duration of the battle of Germany. If our bombing attacks have been as successful, the German defense must be terribly handicapped, to say nothing of the decimation of the Huns' ranks since D-day. We look at the situation from two standpoints: the war in Europe will either end with unexpected suddenness, or will be prolonged well into the Winter. From which our readers will judge that we are not posing as a prophet.

LOOKING FOR TIRE BUILDERS

Readers of The Courier-Gazette will be interested to know what is back of a manpower drive which takes in all of the cities of Maine, including Rockland, also Vermont and New Hampshire. This drive is for men to make tires at the Fisk Plant of the United States Rubber Company at Chicopee Falls, Mass. The reason why the WMC is putting on this drive is because of the emergency that has confronted our armies in Europe. Gen. Eisenhower has called to Lieut. General Somervell in Washington urging him to let nothing stand in the way of sending heavy-duty truck tires to all theatres of war in Europe. It is pointed out by Gen. Somervell that we are shipping four million tons overseas each month. Much of this tonnage must be unloaded over the beach. Practically all of it must be forwarded by truck. Our own air forces and artillery, he states, have destroyed railroad bridges, culverts, track and rowing stock, and that the German demolition has completed this job. He says that we cannot depend on rail transportation but must move our supplies forward by truck as our supply line lengthens and as increasing numbers of troops enter into action and demands for heavy trucks continually increase. The Government looks to the plant recently completed at Chicopee Falls as a splendid source of supply for the needs of General Eisenhower and his armies in Europe. Representatives of the Fisk plant will be in Rockland at the United States employment office to interview prospects on September 13th and 14th.

DEWEY MEETS THE CHALLENGE

This newspaper has been awaiting a definite pronouncement by Gov. Dewey on the subject of foreign affairs. It was plainly the task of the Presidential candidate of the party to sweep aside the blunders of Chicago and to give vigor and forthrightness to his campaign at its one debatable point. Mr. Dewey began at the beginning. Whatever policy this country adopts in international relations must be supported by a united people. Playing with the dynamite of foreign affairs for partisan advantage could wreck the peace and hopelessly cripple the influence of America in the world. Mr. Dewey not only refused to seek votes in this manner but made a positive effort, in conjunction with Mr. Hull, to insure that current negotiations looking toward world security would take a form which would remove them from the sphere of political debate. That was genuine statesmanship; it was a contribution to the welfare of America and the world which far transcended whatever effect it might have on the political fortunes of any individual party.

In Louisville Mr. Dewey went farther. He developed his views of the goals toward which the nation should move, the purposes for which it should be united—a division of function between the alliance to liquidate the present war and the world organization to prevent future wars; the development of effective co-operative means to repel or prevent aggression, including the use of force, if necessary; a world court to deal with justifiable disputes. He spoke in detail and to the point, exploring the area of agreement within which American public opinion has been working so fruitfully.

But above all Mr. Dewey emphasized the great, central goal—of a people united in firm resolve to prevent another world war and ready "to struggle, to work and to sacrifice" for peace. To fix that resolve in national policy so that it cannot be questioned at home or challenged abroad, is even more essential than the machinery of world co-operation, and to fire it with the spirit which flamed through Mr. Dewey's address is to make it a mighty creative force. Mr. Dewey has met the challenge of his greatest task manfully and well. He has made his own and his party's stand on the most vital issue of the day clear beyond cavil.—Herald Tribune

The Rotary Club

A Bay State Banker Discusses Retirement Pension Plans

Francis L. Buswell, treasurer of the Newton (Mass.) Savings Bank and treasurer of the Employee Retirement Fund Association of Massachusetts Savings Banks, was speaker at the Rotary Club meeting Friday noon.

Mr. Buswell introduced by Horatio C. Cowan of the program committee, spoke in general of retirement pension plans and in particular of the plan inaugurated by Massachusetts Savings Banks in February of this year, detailing the provisions of the plan. He stated that, in another state, retirement plans had cut the turnover of employees about 50-percent.

Group singing was led by Dr. Walter P. Conley, with Stafford M. Congdon at the piano.

Sixty-five were present including 52 Rockland Rotarians. Visitors were: Charles A. Holden, Hanover, N. H. Harry Thompson, Frank E. Poland and T. E. Keller of

Boston; George C. Needham of Haddonfield, N. J.; G. A. Lawrence of Belfast, Arthur E. Baker of the Biddeford and Saco Club; Fred F. Lawrence of Portland, C. P. Merrill of Skowhegan and Mr. Buswell. Guests of members were: David Bicknell and Ensign Herbert Ellingwood of Rockland and Stinson L. Taylor of Concord, N. H., a former member of the Concord Rotary Club.

WEST ROCKPORT

Mrs. Perley Merrifield and daughter Barbara have returned from Summit, N. J., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Griswold, Sr., who are now guests at the Merrifield home.

Miss Charlene Heald returned Sunday from Quincy Mass., where she visited Miss Dorothy Souther.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Spear of Westbury, N. Y. and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spear of East Union were recent callers at R. J. Heald's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lunden are preparing the home which they recently bought at Pleasantville, Warren for occupancy.

H. M. de Rochemont PLUMBING AND HEATING

106 PLEASANT ST., ROCKLAND

NOT TODAY! NOT TOMORROW! BUT SOON!

WORKING FOR VICTORY



An Air Service Command Station, Somewhere in England—Sgt. Albert Lind of 9 Linden street, Rockland recently passed through this Air Service Command station en route to a well-earned rest after 31 missions as a Gunner on a B-24.

Here, Air Service Command officers "briefed" him on the necessity of safeguarding certain vital information he gained as a result of his combat experience.

Before his return to the States, Sgt. Lind was awarded the Air medal with four Oak Leaf Clusters, two bronze stars on E.T.O. ribbon, Distinguished Flying Cross and Certificate of Valor.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lind of 9 Linden street, Rockland.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin C. Huntley of Limerock street, Rockland, have received a cablegram from their son, Albert G. Huntley, of the U. S. Merchant Marine, advising that he is at a hospital, somewhere overseas recovering following a surgical operation, and that his condition is satisfactory. When last heard from some six weeks ago, he was in Italy.

Richard Raymond Rich, QM3c, writes his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Rich of Glen Cove, on whose farm he had spent most of his Summers, and his letter is presumably from the South Pacific islands; "I'd trade every coconut tree down here for just one little pine tree on the farm." He adds that the heat and humidity are so high following their rains, there that your clothes get musty, and the clothes you don't wear every day always get mildewed. They were favored Aug. 27 with an entertaining show by Jack Benny, Carole Landis, Larry Alder, Martha Tilton and June Bruner."

Sgt. John Blethen, on a 15-days furlough from Walker Army Air Field, Victoria, Kansas, and Mrs. Blethen, the former Ruth Gregory, are visiting Sgt. Blethen's mother, Mrs. Minnie Blethen, and Mrs. Blethen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William W. Gregory of Rockland. Sgt. Blethen is Radar Flight Instructor, and Mrs. Blethen has a Civil Service position as an officers' chauffeur.

A number of Maine men are serving with the 351st Regiment in Italy, one of General Mark Clark's Fifth Army units which helped drive the Germans from the Garigliano river to the Arno. Except for a brief rest period, the regiment marched and fought almost continuously for more than five months. In addition to being the 88th Division's first regiment to enter combat, the 351st was its first regiment to arrive overseas, first to arrive in Italy, first to earn a Distinguished Service Cross, and first to receive a battlefield promotion. Maine men with the outfit include Pfc. Stephen S. Spurzling, squad leader, Cranberry Isle; and Pfc. Martin K. Hardie, ammunition bearer, Stonington.

Pvt. Charles V. Shields writes home from Somewhere in Italy that one day last month as he was coming out of the guard tent where he had been on guard duty he met another soldier going in. They looked at each other and were surprised to know each other. The fellow going into the tent was Pvt. Buger Young, quest of Worcester and formerly of Vinalhaven. Both were glad to see each other as it was the first one from home either had seen since leaving the States. Pvt. Shields took his basic training at Fort McClellan, Ala., along with Pvt. Blanchard Start and Pvt. Adelbert French of Camden and Rockland. Pt. Start is

still along with him over there but Pvt. French has been separated from them but they hope to be together before very long back in the States after the war is over. All three have been overseas since May.

Among the members of the 15th A.A.F., who helped build a chapel at their army base in Italy was S. Sgt. Robert Cunningham of Rockport.

Robert H. Rackliffe, 23, former Rockland truck driver, has been promoted to the rank of technical sergeant in the Army Air Forces at Stout Field, Indianapolis, Ind., headquarters of the I Troop Carrier Command. He entered the army Jan. 6, 1942.

Cpl. and Mrs. Clyde R. Ennis of Halifax, N. S. have been visiting relatives in New Hampshire, Waldoboro, Rockland, and Friendship. Cpl. and Mrs. Ennis enjoyed their trip to the United States immensely as it was their first visit here. Cpl. Ennis returned to Canada in March 1944 after four years in England.

Douglas Army Air Field, Ark.—A graduate of advanced pilot training class 44-H, Albert Edwards Judkins, of R.F.D. Camden, has received his wings and commission as a second lieutenant in the Army Air Forces. Lieut. Judkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cedric A. Judkins, graduated from Gould Academy, University of Maine.

Elmer N. Savage, 52c, of Washington, has completed his recruit training at the Naval Training Center in Sampson, N. Y. and upon his return there will be eligible for further assignment.

Miami Beach, Fla.—Sgt. Chester J. Sundstrom 25, of Rockland, returned from service outside the continental United States, now is being processed at Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2 in Miami Beach, where his next assignment will be determined. This is one of the Re-distribution Stations within the AAF Personnel Redistribution Command. At an AAF Re-distribution Station, AAF returnees from theatres of operations are examined by medical and classification officers whose findings are used in recommending new assignments. Theme of the AAF re-distribution program is designation of each man to duty for which he is best fitted. Returnees live at a Re-distribution Station under conditions that encourage natural response to processing, the greater part of their two-week stay being devoted to rest and recreation.

AAF personnel, enlisted men and officers alike, are assigned to a Re-distribution Station upon their return to the United States, but do not report to the Station until completing a furlough or leave of three weeks.

Sergeant Sundstrom, son of Mrs. Joel M. Sundstrom, 50 Lawn avenue, was a B-24 and 17 and P-38, 39 and 40 radio mechanic during 30 months in the Southwest Pacific. He is a graduate of Rockland High School.

William O. Fuller, AS son of Mrs. Jeannette Fuller of Mobile, Ala., and the late Major Richard S. Fuller, and grandson of Mrs. W. O. Fuller of Rockland, is training for 12 weeks in Maryland. His address is: Co. 4485, Bks. 425-L, USNTO, Bainbridge, Md.

Corp. Harry C. Mank of Rockland is somewhere in France. His address may be obtained from his mother, Mrs. Lillian Hilt of 54 South Main street, Rockland.

Osgood A. Gilbert of the U. S. Navy was home from Boston over the week-end.

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Sunday Excursions, Rockland, Swan's Island, continue through

September—Leaves McLoon's Wharf at 8 o'clock

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IT'S A REPUBLICAN YEAR

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QUESTIONS
1 Yes 30 No 49
2 Yes 27 No 52
3 Yes 28 No 52
4 Yes 30 No 50

AMENDMENT
Yes 57 No 18

THOMASTON
Governor—Hildreth, R., 408; Julien, D., 118.
Congress—Smith, R., 415; Staples, D., 103.

State Senator—Smith, R., 433.
Clerk of Courts—Griffin, R., 413.
Judge of Probate—Wilbur, R., 410.
Register of Deeds—Coltart, R., 415.

Sheriff—Ludwick, R., 409.
County Attorney—Burgess, R., 408.
Commissioner—Boynton, R., 397.
Legislature—Bell, R., 354; Linekin, D., 178.

QUESTIONS
1 Yes 196 No 298
2 Yes 156 No 338
3 Yes 156 No 337
4 Yes 200 No 291

UNION
Governor—Hildreth, R., 176; Julien, D., 26.
Congress—Smith, R., 178; Staples, D., 24.

State Senator—Smith, R., 178.
Judge of Probate—Wilbur, R., 178.
Clerk of Courts—Griffin, R., 178.
Register of Deeds—Coltart, R., 178.

Sheriff—Ludwick, R., 174.
County Attorney—Burgess, R., 177.
Commissioner—Boynton, R., 174.
Legislature—Bird, D., 175.

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1 Yes 41 No 154
2 Yes 29 No 164
3 Yes 28 No 165
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Yes 147 No 35

VINALHAVEN
Governor—Hildreth, R., 161; Julien, D., 40.
Congress—Smith, R., 161; Staples, D., 39.

State Senator—Smith, R., 156.
Judge of Probate—Wilbur, R., 150.
Clerk of Courts—Griffin, R., 161.
Register of Deeds—Coltart, R., 160.

Sheriff—Ludwick, R., 162.
County Attorney—Burgess, R., 161.
Commissioner—Boynton, R., 157.
Legislature—Emerson, R., 159.

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1 Yes 37 No 126
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Yes 118 No 45

WARREN
Governor—Hildreth, R., 275; Julien, D., 24.
Congress—Smith, R., 275; Staples, D., 22.

State Senator—Smith, R., 276.
Judge of Probate—Wilbur, R., 274.
Clerk of Courts—Griffin, R., 275.
Register of Deeds—Coltart, R., 274.

Sheriff—Ludwick, R., 269.
County Attorney—Burgess, R., 274.
Commissioner—Boynton, R., 270.
Legislature—Bird, R., 267.

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2 Yes 48 No 169
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2 Yes 48 No 169
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YEAR

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WASHINGTON
Hildreth, R., 135; Jul-
Smith, R., 133; Staples,
ator-Smith, R., 131.
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of Deeds-Collart, R.,
re-Bird, R., 134.

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Yes 106 No 82
Amendment
Yes 151 No 27

Knox County Vote
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strong, and Republican
four to one. The voters
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package store, but no dice
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republican went Republican
to one. County Attor-
s leading the County
relatively dry.

Republicans five to one.
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county vote. Dry by the
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being 107 to 1, in fav-
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in Automotive Progress

TALK OF THE TOWN

Sept. 15-Educational Club picnic
with Mrs. Lena Merrill.

Mrs. Mildred K. Collins of Au-
burn, Grand Conductress of the
Grand Chapter of Maine, O.E.S.,
and District Deputy Grand Matron
for the local district, has announced
the following inspection for this vic-
inity: Sept. 18, South Thomaston;
Sept. 19, Rockport; Sept. 20, Vinal-
haven; Sept. 26, Warren; Sept. 27,
Tenants Harbor. Golden Rod
Chapter of Rockland will be in-
spected Sept. 29, with Worthy Grand
Matron Mary Minot of South Port-
land as the inspecting officer.
Camden's inspection will be Oct. 23
with Burnham Sewall of Lincoln,
Associate Grand Patron as in-
specting officer, assisted by Mrs.
Collins, and the chapter at Lincoln-
ville will be inspected by Maynard
L. Fickett, Worthy Grand Patron,
Oct. 21.

Mrs. Charles A. Marsteller of
Rockland and Mrs. Ardelle Hazle-
ton of St. George, president of the
Lincoln Association Baptist Wom-
en's Missionary Society, will attend
the Fall Missionary Institute to be
held in Waterville, Wednesday and
Thursday.

Congregational ministers of the
Lincoln Association will lunch at
the Copper Kettle tomorrow and
will hold a conference with Ronald
Bridges of Sanford, newly elected
moderator of the National Council
of the Congregational-Christian
Churches of America.

On Aug. 20, Charles Perrin, of
Warren and Camden, and now
superintendent of service at the
Princeton Inn, Princeton, N. J., was
married to Mrs. Emma Floyd of
New Egypt, N. J. The ceremony
was performed by Rev. E. H. Staats
in the local church. The attendants
were: Mr. and Mrs. L. Worden of
Lakewood, N. J., and the wedding
dinner at the Hotel Hildebrecht in
Trenton, N. J. They enjoyed a short
honeymoon and are now residing at
their home in New Egypt, N. J., un-
til November, when Mrs. Perrin will
reside with Mr. Perrin at the Prince-
ton Inn for the winter.

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Drowned In Well

Two Year Old Robert Reed
Of Camden Could Not
Be Revived

Robert Franklin Reed, two-year-
old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Reed, was drowned yesterday in a
well at the home of a neighbor,
Wilbur Mills. He was playing with
a brother, David 3, when one of
them removed the cover to the well
and Robert fell in. David ran home
to his mother telling her what had
happened and Camden firemen,
headed by Chief Allen Payson re-
moved the body 15 minutes later.
Firemen, using a respirator and
aided by Dr. Sherwood Armstrong,
tried for some time to revive the
child. Belief was expressed that
he struck his head on one of the
stones in the well and was rendered
unconscious in the plunge. Besides
his parents, he leaves three brothers
and three sisters.

Mrs. Howard Chapman has re-
ceived a letter from her son, Don-
ald W. Moore, S.C., stating that
he has been transferred to MCTC,
Frontier Base, Little Creek Branch,
Norfolk, Va.

BORN
Dunnell-At Mercy Hospital, Port-
land, Sept. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar A.
Dunnell (Mrs. Evelyn Ulmer), a son-
Edgar Ayre, Jr.
McAuliffe-At Arlington, Mass., Sept.
1, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. McAuliffe,
formerly of Rockland, a daughter-
Elizabeth Ann.

MARRIED
Brown-Norton-At South Thomaston,
Sept. 10, Pfc. Willard August Brown
of Camden and Esie Margene Norton
of South Thomaston-by Rev. J.
Charles MacDonald.
Waterman-Bloom-South Thomaston,
Sept. 10, Robert Trafton Waterman of
South Thomaston, and Norma Louise
Bloom of South Thomaston-by Rev. J.
Charles MacDonald.
Mank-Niem-At Rockland, Sept. 9,
1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Niemi,
both of Warren-by Rev. Charles A.
Marsteller.

DIED
Perkins-At Warren, Sept. 11, Emerson
O. Perkins, age 87 years, 6 months,
23 days. Funeral Wednesday at 2 p. m.
from Sumner's home. Burial in
Fairview cemetery.
Merrill-At Rockland, Sept. 8, Walter
Edwin Merrill, age 41 years, 10
months, 4 days.
Wilson-At Rockland, Sept. 10, How-
ard Harrison Wilson, age 38 years,
2 months, 24 days. Funeral at 2 o'clock
Wednesday afternoon at Burpee
funeral home. Interment in Belfair
cemetery.
Tolman-At Chicago-Sept. 11, Jennie
Edith Tolman, widow of Edward H. Tolman
age 83 years, 3 months, 1 day. Com-
munital service in Sea View cemetery
at 11.30 a. m., Thursday.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank all our neighbors,
and friends for their kindness during
our recent bereavement.
Mr. and Mrs. Roland Jenkins and
family.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank Dr. Jameson, Dr.
Lawry and all the nurses for the kind-
ness shown me during my stay at Knox
Hospital, also all my friends and
neighbors for the beautiful flowers and
cards.
Mrs. Herbert Nutter

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank relatives, neigh-
bors and other friends for many acts
of kindness following the death of W.
Arlton Ripley and flowers sent for the
funeral.
Harold A. Ripley, John E. Ripley
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nesses during our recent bereavement,
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A Sailor Helps

William McIntosh of Apple-
ton Works On New York
Tomato Pack

William McIntosh, Appleton, Me.,
S. 2c at the United States Naval
Training Center at Sampson, N. Y.,
recently volunteered to help save
Western New York's tomato pack,
half of which has been allocated to
the armed forces.

The Knox County sailor, who has
completed boot training, was among
the first 100 volunteers released by
the Navy on special furloughs to
ease the manpower shortage at the
A and P canning plant in Brock-
port, N. Y. The Navy men lived at
a Rochester Hotel, received regular
wages and were transported daily
by bus to the plant for work.

The Navy men worked side by side
with regular employees, school and
college students, housewives, busi-
ness men and war workers who are
volunteering either part time or full
time during the four-week peak
period of the pack. More than
4,000,000 bottle of ketchup are ex-
pected to be packed at this plant
alone for the armed forces.

It's A Republican Year
(Continued from Page Two)
almost seven to one for the G.O.P.,
and dryer a chip.

Vinalhaven was Republican four
to one with Sheriff Ludwick leading
the county candidates. Drys in the
minority.

Warren hoisted the Republican
banner by a vote of twelve to one,
and the county candidates on nearly
an even footing. Dry by wide ma-
jorities.

Washington showed a less for
both parties, but with a majority of
80 for Hildreth. Sheriff Ludwick was
high man on the county ticket.

Henry C. Hutchinson of 6 Warren
street has bought from Robert Ad-
ams of Malden Mass., the Simeon A.
Adams property at 291 Limerock
street. The Hutchinson plan to oc-
cupy the premises as soon as the
present tenant vacates.

The Opportunity Class of the
First Baptist Church met last week
at the home of Mrs. Bernice Leach,
with 22 members present. It was
reported that 31 calls were made
during August. Games were played
under the direction of Mrs. Clara
Gregory, and refreshments were
served by the hostess, assisted by
Mrs. Christine Dorr and Mrs. Ada
Prescott.

Charles C. Wotton and Sherman
Daniels were among the Knox
County baseball fans who saw the
thrilling double-header between the
Red Sox and Yankees in Boston
Sunday.

There will be a special meeting of
the MacDonald Class Thursday
night at 7:30 at the home of Mrs.
Raymond Pendleton on Rankin
street. All members are asked to
be present as the election of new
officers for the coming year will take
place.

Ralph Ulmer Camp and Auxiliary
USWV will meet in Legion Hall
Wednesday night at 7.30. Supper
at 6. Take prizes.

The W.C.T.U. will meet Friday
with Miss Ada Young. Dr. Bour-
deau-Sisco will be the speaker.

Mrs. Lemuel Moody of Old Town
is guest of Mrs. W. O. Fuller while
attending the meeting of the Dio-
cesan Board of the Episcopal
Churches of Maine. Meeting today
at the home of the president, Mrs.
Keryn ap Rice, Maple street, with
luncheon at the Thorndike Hotel.

Municipal Research

Installment of Committee Re-
port Relating To Revenues
and Taxation

(Chapter 2)
**Municipal Government Revenues
Must Be Adequate**
The second fundamental require-
ment of successful municipal gov-
ernment is that the revenue avail-
able must be adequate. It is not
enough that sufficient resources
exist locally; there is the further
step that adequate revenue be de-
rived from those resources, which
means the tax system must be sat-
isfactory. Even New York City
with all of its wealth and popula-
tion, ie, great resources, does not
exist on its available local revenue,
and needs the 23% state aid it re-
ceives. Except in an emergency,
New York City's municipal revenues
depend upon the amount derived
from the property tax alone, and
that one method of tapping local
resources does not provide sufficient
municipal revenue. This leads us
to the question of taxation.

The existence of enough books on
taxation to fill a large library is
ample cause for hesitation in pre-
scribing for Rockland one "right"
system of taxation; many experts
on public finance have failed, even
to their own satisfaction, in attain-
ing that objective. Experts differ
widely in their conclusions. Also,
a complete development of the sub-
ject would require the space of an-
other book. Moreover, changes in a
tax system should be made with ex-
treme caution, and only after a
careful study of effects. Finally, it
can't be done properly by any one
committee or in any one year.

Yet we have no time for the
pleasant but endless pastime of tax
theory discussion; in that field we
could not hope to match the many
excellent studies already made. De-
spite the difficulties and complexi-
ties, the need for action is so great
that some satisfactory though not
necessarily the best answer must be
found, action must follow, and im-
provements can be made later in
the light of actual experience. For
what it may be worth, therefore,
a definite plan is here presented, not
contended to be suitable everywhere,
but offered to fit the particular
conditions of the City of Rockland,
with the hope that our citizens may
become united on this definite plan
and do their part to accomplish vi-
tally needed tax reform.

We anticipate the objection that
we are "shooting high," and that
our plan has real obstacles to its
accomplishment, particularly the
task of obtaining favorable State
action. Our answer is that we be-
lieve a drastic revision is necessary,
that no piecemeal compromising
approach is worth anyone's efforts.
It is for us to propose, and for oth-
ers to dispose; we at least intend to
propose what we think is best for
Rockland.

A. Causes Of Taxation
The cause of taxation is public
expenditures; the causes of public
expenditures are the functions per-
formed by government, and in some
cases waste and mismanagement.
The only ways therefore to reduce
taxation are (1) eliminate functions
of government and (2) stop mis-
management. Taxes will continue
to increase so long as people make
increased demands for perform-
ance of services by government, and
so long as citizens are apathetic and
put up with mismanagement.

We waste no time joining in the
current condemnation of "bureau-
crats" because we know that "bu-
reaucrats" are merely our hired
servants to perform the functions
we want performed; that we will al-
ways have "bureaucrats," Federal,
State and Local, as long as we have
organized government; the number
of them depends upon the number
of functions we citizens require
to perform, and the efficiency with
which such functions are per-
formed.

There are four separate layers of
government (Federal, State, County
and City) imposed in whole or in
part upon the tax base furnished by
the economic ability of Rockland
citizens. These levels are merely
four available means for the per-
formance of functions. Waste and
therefore public expenditures and
taxation can be reduced if wise de-
cisions are made concerning: (1)
what functions should government
at any level perform, (2) What is
the best level to perform each se-
lected function, (3) what is the
best taxation system for distribut-
ing the cost of performing such
functions, (4) what level can best
raise, and what level can best ex-
pend the yield of any given tax,
and (5) what is the best way to
transfer funds from the tax-raising
to the tax-spending level unit of
government. The present failure to
meet these issues causes unneces-
sary taxation due to waste involved,
and unequal sharing of tax burdens.

B. Present Municipal Revenue
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A NINTH TROOP CARRIER BASE, IN ITALY

It Was Southern France This Time
for IX Troop Carrier. S. Sgt.
Bruce L. Condon, Right Front, pounded his radio key as the plane roared
away to spearhead the invasion of Southern France. Major Gen. Paul
Williams, veteran leader and planner of Troop Carrier in Normandy and
now in Southern France, has added another "First," for it is Troop Car-
rier, with its Paratroop-Glider-hauling C-47 planes, that jumps the fight-
ing Yanks to open new fronts. The crew, standing from left to right, is
Capt. P. G. Hash, pilot, Lt. R. H. Pinney, co-pilot, Lt. R. W. Sliter and T.
Sgt. H. W. Marple, half kneeling, crew chief. Edgar P. Condon, his father
resides in Rockland, Maine.

and City) imposed in whole or in
part upon the tax base furnished by
the economic ability of Rockland
citizens. These levels are merely
four available means for the per-
formance of functions. Waste and
therefore public expenditures and
taxation can be reduced if wise de-
cisions are made concerning: (1)
what functions should government
at any level perform, (2) What is
the best level to perform each se-
lected function, (3) what is the
best taxation system for distribut-
ing the cost of performing such
functions, (4) what level can best
raise, and what level can best ex-
pend the yield of any given tax,
and (5) what is the best way to
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Planning For Fall
Service Men's Club Expects
a Busy Season—Tribute To
Mrs. Copping

At the monthly meeting of the
executive board of the Service
Men's Club, tentative plans were
made for the coming Fall and Win-
ter season. It is hoped to have
several social gatherings and enter-
tainments which will prove enjoy-
able to the young people. There
will be a get-together of Junior
hostesses soon to make definite
plans for social events.

The Club wishes to acknowledge
with thanks a gift of \$10 which will
be used to purchase new records
and supplies for the room. More
magazines for the room are needed
with articles and stories of interest
to young men. It is requested that
they be of as recent date as July.

Once again attention is brought
to the matter of paying dues. It
has been suggested that members
who cannot conveniently get to the
treasurer, leave their dues at the
room in an envelope properly
marked with their name. Mrs.
Elizabeth Morey will collect them
and turn them over to Mrs. Tweede
the treasurer, who will send receipts
for same.

Members wish to congratulate
Mrs. Lillian Copping on the good
recovery she has made from her
recent illness; also to express their
appreciation and gratitude for her
helpfulness and interest in the
Club.

Junior hostesses are urged to be
present evenings as much as pos-
sible. It might help if the hostesses
for each evening would arrange to
have a certain number of them
present.

All branches of the armed forces,
both men and women are always
welcome at the Club room whenever
they are in the city.

Penobscot View Grange will meet
Thursday night.

Savings Bankers

The forenoon session of the 51st
Annual Meeting of the Savings
Banks Association of Maine, Friday,
was held in the Samoset Hotel ball
room. President Allan Spear of Bath
presiding.

Reports of the secretary, Shirley
H. Irish of Portland; the treasurer,
Carlos L. Hill of Portland, and the
executive manager, Harry M. Nel-
son of Portland, were presented.
Committee reports were also pre-
sented.

Myron S. Short, president of the
Savings Banks Association of the
State of New York, addressed the
group on the subject, "Why a War-
time Savings Conference," dis-
cussing comprehensively, the fullest
and best use of savings; putting our
'shops' in shape; preparing for the
important role to be played in the
post-war home-building program;
education of depositors, and the
public generally, of the real value of
a self imposed habit of systematic
saving, and the development of a
more modern legal framework for
the investment of savings.

Opening his talk, Mr. Short, said:
"In these days when history and
the map of the world are changing
from hour to hour, we need to take
counsel with one another on the
problems at hand, as well as those
immediately ahead. We still have
a job to do in winning the war, but
we must get ready for peacetime
operation. We need a greater con-
cept of the importance of our job,
and the will to do that job more
effectively. We must be ready to
occupy our rightful place in the
system of free enterprise in the
postwar period.

We are living and working under
conditions unparalleled in the his-
tory of this country. We are en-
gaged in a heart-breaking, back-
breaking war, the winning of which
will exact a terrific toll in man-
power, money and capital goods. We
have been, and are, contributing to
the prosecution of the war in a
manner and on a scale that many
would have thought impossible eight
or ten years ago. After it is over,
and at this very moment the end of
the European conflict appears to be
in sight, we face a period of re-ad-
justment when industry will be re-
converting from a war-time to a
peace-time basis, and then an im-
patient and unpredictable future."

The second speaker of the fore-
noon was Francis L. Buswell, treas-
urer of the Newton (Mass.) Savings
Bank, whose subject was, "Employee
Retirement." Mr. Buswell, who is
treasurer of the Massachusetts
Savings Banks Employee Retirement
Association, told of the formation of
the association in February 1944,
with 32 banks participating at the
start, and which has now 72 of the
Massachusetts banks as members.
Mr. Buswell spoke of the surveys
made previous to the formation of

the association and then detailed
the various provisions of the plan.
The individual banks match a min-
imum of one percent and up to a
maximum of five percent of the
earnings of the employees. All male
employees are eligible and female
employees are eligible when 25 years
of age or over. Mr. Buswell said
that this plan was very well accept-
ed in Massachusetts.

The afternoon and evening was
given over to entertainment and re-
creation. Dr. Fred B. Wheaton of
Biddeford, acted as chairman of the
golf committee and Shirley H. Irish
of Portland had charge of the Horse
Shoes contests. Many of those at-
tending the meeting, visited "Mont-
pelier" at Thomaston; there were
two groups who enjoyed sails in the
harbor and out around Owl's Head
and several visited Rockport and
Camden.

Following dinner, with special
tables for past presidents of the as-
sociation, and guests, there was an
entertainment in the ball-room,
where Miss Laura May Carpenter,
in period costume, gave a dramatic
impersonation, "Harriet," from the
Life of Harriet Beecher Stowe.
Miss Lotte McLaughlin, with Mrs.
Faith W. Berry at the piano, sang:
"Life," by Curran; "The Bitterness
of Love," by Dunn; "Ecstasy" by
Rummel, and "Homing," by Del
Riego. At the close, Miss Mc-
Laughlin led in the singing of
"America."

Emery L. Mallett, treasurer of the
Franklin County Savings Bank of
Farmington, was elected president
of the Savings Banks Association
of Maine at closing session of the
51st annual meeting of the associa-
tion at the Samoset Hotel Saturday
forenoon.

Dr. Fred B. Wheaton, president
of the York County Savings Bank
of Biddeford, was elected vice pres-
ident; Shirley H. Irish, assistant
treasurer of the Portland Savings
Bank was re-elected secretary, and
Carlos L. Hill, assistant treasurer
of the Maine Savings Bank of Port-
land, was re-elected treasurer.

Those elected to the executive
committee were Allan Spear, treas-
urer of the Bath Savings Institu-
tion, retiring president of the asso-
ciation; Lester H. Baker, treasurer
of the Houlton Savings Bank; Wil-
liam L. Walker, treasurer of the
Saco and Biddeford Savings Insti-
tution, Saco; Ernest W. Morrill,
treasurer of the People's Savings
Bank of Lewiston, and Ernest B.
Quigley, treasurer of the Eastport
Savings Bank.

A panel discussion of problems of
the post-war period was conducted
by Emery L. Mallett of Farmington,
and a sum of money for use in
studying these problems was made
available to the executive commit-
tee. A series of group meetings will
probably be held in December, with
the executive committee reporting
on its findings and making recom-
mendations.



CHAPTER IX

Zorie came to the turn of the deck and started across. She was outside the Palm Room. She stopped at a window and looked in. The Palm Room was crowded. She saw Steve dancing with Amber. Watching them she forgot Mr. Lanning. A wave of this afternoon's jealousy returned. She wanted to cry. She felt neglected and loved. Zorie walked on. She felt desperate.

She walked aft on the other side. There was no moon. It was a black night. She found stairs leading to a lower deck. She went down several flights and came to an iron bulkhead on either side.

At the end of this deck were steps that went up. She climbed them. She passed one deck and climbed another.

Zorie leaned on the rail and looked down at the water. Ghostly light showed the race and churn of water lashed white by the propellers. Beyond was blackness.

She felt ill. Everything in the world was wrong. Paul, when she most needed his strength, his comfort, had failed her. Steve, for whose arms she had this desperate longing, was a man she dared not trust.

What was she to do about the stolen notebook? To whom could she turn for counsel?

In her confusion and awe, she thought of the cast-iron Buddha on Professor Folsome's desk—"the genuine jungle wisdom Buddha"—and her three wishes. She had wished to be transported to an enchanting land of palms and flowers, of jade seas and singing birds, and of charming people too gallant to take advantage of her meekness. She had wished that Paul would go there, too. And she had wished that she would lose her meekness.

Since then, everything had gone wrong. It was as if the Buddha were granting a parody of her wishes. If she were superstitious, she would believe that the Buddha was an evil genie of iron who dealt solely in the cruellest irony.

She suddenly tasted on her lips the dust and rust of his forehead.

A soft mocking whisper came out of the darkness just behind her. "Ah-nah!" it said. "Ah-nah!"

A hand was brutally clamped over her mouth. Another hand went scooping under her knees. She was swiftly lifted to the rail and over it. She was thrown far out.

She fell down and down through the blackness toward the churning white water.

Zorie was falling through blackness as you fall in a dream, falling and falling, never reaching bottom. If you reach bottom, in a nightmare fall, your heart, some people say, stops beating.

Her brain must have been working frantically, because she did not have long to dwell on the horror of her fate.

It was like cold claws tearing her heart to shreds.

Long before she struck the water, Zorie was fighting for her life. She took a deep breath and held it.

Paul had told her that anyone falling from a swiftly moving ship is almost inevitably sucked into the propellers, is instantly battered and torn to pieces by the giant steel blades.

She struck the water. The shock of the impact almost knocked the air out of her. The next instant she was deep in the insane churn from the propellers, with their mighty rhythm thumping in her ears. She was a helpless rag of a girl caught in insane convulsions of water. She was violently jerked, whirled and tossed this way and that by savage currents. She felt as if she were being torn apart.

There was only one thing she could do to help herself—she could hold her breath. She might be held down indefinitely, sucked this way and that by monstrous eddies. Chance alone would determine whether or not she would be drawn into the thumping steel blades.

She tried to hold her breath. She held her breath until she thought her lungs would burst.

She failed the hissing water with her arms. She could not draw in her breath, or force it out. Some water was lodged in her throat, and it would not let her pass. She tried to dislodge the obstacle but it stayed there.

But even in her panic, her brain was trying to work out this problem.

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ing tired. Her slippers were gone. She was all in. She had not realized how the shock, the horror of her immersion had exhausted her until she tried to use her arms and legs.

The magnesium flare seemed no nearer. The strength seemed to be draining out of her arms, her chest, her legs.

This inability to reach safety, something to cling to until she was rescued, was more nearly like a nightmare than her moments in the savage thrust of water from the ship's screws.

Then the white flare seemed suddenly closer. She put what was left of her strength into a final spurt. She reached the life-ring. But she was now so weak she could hardly cling to the canvas-covered cork.

The rest of it was a confusion of shouts and men's red faces in the white glare, and the rattling of oars in oarlocks. Someone pulled her into a lifeboat. A gruff voice—she never knew to whom it belonged—was calling her a brave kid, a damned brave kid. And she never knew who it was who told her in a whining voice that an oiler who had just come off watch had been leaning on the rail of the deck below the one from which she had fallen. She had shot past him screaming. He it was who had thrown overboard the life-ring and then had telephoned the bridge.

Zorie's next clear recollection was of the woman in white. The woman in white was square-faced, rather grim, and very efficient. She helped her out of her tattered rags—all that remained of her white pigee dress. Her stockings were gone.

Once she was in her nightgown and in her bed, Zorie had hysterics. But it wasn't a bad attack. Later, the nurse told her she had never seen anyone come through such an experience so bravely.

The nurse gave Zorie a sedative and Zorie went to sleep. It was midnight when she awoke. She felt tense. She ached here and there and there was a faint drugged feeling in her brain—the residue of the sedative. Otherwise, her brain felt clear. Everything felt clear. In all her life she had never felt so clear.

Amber Lanning was sitting on the bed across the room. She was looking steadily at Zorie. Except for a ghost of a smile at one corner of her mouth, her face was expressionless. Her eyes were like dark round holes.

When Zorie sat up in bed, Amber's eyes followed her. Zorie swung her feet to the floor. She winced as a pain shot through the small of her back. Her left knee hurt. All her teeth ached a little. And her right hand felt a little numb. But she could stand. And she could walk. She walked across to where Amber sat and she slapped Amber's face.

"There," Zorie said softly.

She waited for Amber to do something. She hoped that Amber would resent it.

The smile was gone. Amber compressed her lips and stared at her, but she did nothing and she said nothing.

Zorie reached up to one of the hooks. It was supporting several hangers of Amber's clothes. She took the hangers down and threw them on Amber's bed. She went about the stateroom taking down hangers and throwing them on Amber's bed. When the hooks were emptied, she emptied one of the closets. Its contents she threw on Amber's bed.

"From now on," said Zorie in a calm, assured voice, "this closet is mine."

Amber, sitting on the bed with her clothes all about her, said nothing.

Zorie now dumped the contents of two of the four drawers on Amber's bed. She put the drawers back and said, "From now on, these are mine. You are the first person of a great many who are going to learn that I'm never going to be pushed around again as long as I live. You will either behave yourself in this stateroom or you will get out."

Zorie could see Amber's brain working in her steady brown eyes. Amber was being crossed. She would now make some sort of adjustment, because she was a realist. A realist, Zorie decided, is one who fights others and not one's self.

Amber got up. She picked up a package of cigarettes from a package of cigarettes, leisurely selected one, lit it. She puffed at it and considered Zorie through the smoke.

"Now that I've smoked you out," said Amber, "shall we be ourselves? I was getting so fed up with your act—and these gosh-awful clothes of yours. I mean the whole picture."

"Who," Zorie asked, "do you think I am?" She was determined to say nothing now or ever to this girl about the attempt at drowning her. She was still as determined as ever to spend the rest of her life, if necessary, in finding out who had thrown her overboard. She would be as smart as they were, and as sly.

Amber shrugged and lifted eyebrows and eyes with a wryly despairing grimace. "All right, my dear," she said. "Keep it up if you want. I know you're a great actress. God knows I should. I have the greatest respect for you. I envy you more than any woman I ever lived. You have more lives than a cat. Frankly, I think you're a witch. I'll be good."

"We might have a ladies' agreement to that effect," said Zorie.

"Yes!" Amber agreed. "And now, darling, how are you fixed for clothes?"

"I'm not fixed for clothes."

"Nothing in the hold?"

"Nothing."

Amber seemed surprised. "I thought you always traveled with a terrific wardrobe. I'd forgotten that month you spent in Jugoslavia. . . . We're the same. You can have anything you want."

Who, Zorie wondered, was this woman she resembled? A notorious secret agent? It wouldn't do to ask questions. And at the moment she

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Miss Julia Kaler and Miss Jessie Keene have returned to Gorham and Miss Faye Keene to her teaching duties at the Ethical Culture High School in New York.

Nelson Thompson of Dorchester, Mass., has been spending a few days with relatives in town.

Clarence Reed has returned to New York.

Frederick Vogel left Saturday morning for a week in New York.

Miss Sue Jeanne of New York is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frederick Vogel.

Thomas (Sonny) Lee, U.S.N., has been passing the weekend in town. Mrs. Katie Engley and Mrs. Shirley Bagley were in Rockland Thursday.

Mrs. Rose Weston and son and Mrs. Saxe Weston were in Rockland Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stenger and Mrs. W. G. Labe were Rockland visitors Thursday.

The Glidden house, Marble avenue has been purchased by Leslie Soule.

Jasper Stahl has returned to Pottstown, Penn.

Mrs. Geneva Welt and Miss Gertrude Newbert, formerly of this town, now of Torrington, Conn., have been in town for a short visit.

Supt. and Mrs. A. D. Gray and Austin Miller have returned from Orono.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Penniman and family who have been passing the month of August at Medomk, have returned to Framingham, Mass.

Mrs. Angeline DePatsy of West Boylston, Mass., is at the home of her son, assisting in the care of the children. Mrs. Nicholas DePatsy is in the Osteopathic Hospital at Waterville, where she underwent a serious surgical operation Wednesday.

Grade 6 will be taught by Mrs. Lucile Bangs and owing to an overcrowded condition, it will be at the Winslow's Mills school building.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benner entertained in honor of the birthdays of Mrs. Mamie Wallace and Mrs. Ruby Burns. Nineteen guests were present and the presence of Cpl. Maynard Wallace, a nephew of Mrs. Benner added much to the pleasure of the occasion. Sandwiches, cake, cookies, coffee and punch were served. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Virgie Wallace and Cpl. Maynard Wallace and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Willey and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morse, Mrs. George Mace, Ruby Burns, Mamie Wallace and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Carter have moved from the Welt house in Brooklyn to the rent in the Sanborn block, vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Stafford.

Mrs. M. Louise Miller spent the weekend in Portland. On her return she was accompanied by her daughters Mary and Nancy, who have been visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Emma Spear.

Mr. and Mrs. Standish Ford returned Saturday to Philadelphia. Mrs. Alice Hardy of Everett, Mass., was calling on friends in town Saturday.

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E. A. Starrett Auxiliary, S.U.V. will meet Wednesday. The president requests all officers be present if possible to prepare for the annual inspection, which will be held soon. Dinner will be served the members at noon.

Miss Eley Sawyer resumed Tuesday last week, her teaching duties at Camden High School.

Mrs. Lowell Moody Sr. is spending a few days in Boston.

Mrs. Walter Gay and daughter Pamela returned Sunday to Portland, after spending a few weeks in this town with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Robinson, and during which they visited relatives in Rockland.

Mrs. Sanders of Elizabeth, N. J., who has been spending the Summer at her former home at Vaughan's Neck (the Fullerton place) is seriously ill at Knox Hospital, Rockland. Her daughter Dorothy, who was in Warren with her for the Summer has returned to her home in Elizabeth, N. J.

Miss Ethel Wotton is employed as clerk in a Rockland grocery store.

Mrs. Daniel Donovan of Quincy, Mass., has been visiting Mrs. William Donovan and son, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Taskell.

Mrs. Arthur Siegars and daughter Arlene of West Dresden, visited her sister, Mrs. Fred Starrett, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Thompson, Miss Eliza Swan, and Mrs. Helen Yeo have returned to their homes in Medford, Mass., and Alston, Mass., respectively, all with the exception of Mr. Thompson, having spent the Summer at the Thompson Summer home on Main street.

Members reminded of the 7.30 meeting of the Warren Woman's Club, which will be held this evening (Sept. 12) at Town hall. Those who have flowers are also reminded to bring them for the demonstration in flower arrangement to be given by George W. Carr. A corsage making contest will be conducted by Mr. Carr, who as judge, will award a prize to the best one made by any club member.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perkins Jr. arrived Saturday from Searsport. Mr. Perkins assumed Sept. 11, his duties as principal of the High School. They will occupy the apartment in the Mrs. P. D. Starrett home on West Main street.

Ivy Chapter, O.E.S., has accepted an invitation to Harbor Light Chapter, O.E.S., Rockport, on the evening of Sept. 19, when Harbor Light Chapter will be inspected. A 6 o'clock supper will be served.

Miss Elma Moon returned Friday from a visit with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bridges in Attleboro. Accompanying her on the visit was her sister, Mrs. William Harvey of Rockland.

Miss Ruth Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Young of Pleasantville, and Miss Eleanor Fales, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fales of South Warren, are attending Fisher College, Boston.

Mrs. Chester Weymouth of Readfield has returned to her home after being guest of her sister, Mrs. Robert Wotton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Castner and daughter, Miss Betty Castner, of Waltham, Mass., were callers Wednesday last week at the home of Mrs. Cora Castner, Warren village. They have been guests of Mrs. Alma Jameson, North Warren, during their visit in this town.

Recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Kimball were Mrs. Livingstone Blake and Mrs. Fred Harrington of Damariscotta.

Mrs. John Selmer-Larsen, employed during the Summer at Black Point Inn, Proulx's Neck, returned home last week, and assumed Monday morning, her duties as teacher at the local High School.

Mrs. Chester Wylie, a patient at the Massachusetts General Hospital, returned home Thursday of last week. Mr. Wylie, who underwent surgical treatment ten days ago at that hospital, is reported gaining satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Robinson and two children, Valerie, and Gary, have returned to Glastonbury, Conn. Mrs. Robinson and two children having spent the Summer at their home, the former Mr. R. Robinson place.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robinson now have the telephone 38-13.

Mrs. Jennie Mank has been spending a few days in Portland with her grandson and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Walter.

Committee on refreshments at the meeting of Ivy Chapter, O.E.S. Friday, will be Mrs. Sadie Barrows, Mrs. Beulah Lord, Mrs. Alice Mathews, and Mrs. Laura Seavey.

Plans are being made for the inspection of Ivy Chapter, O.E.S., at a special meeting, Sept. 26, by Mrs. Mildred K. Collins of Auburn.

GLEN COVE
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Mrs. Carl Freeman entertained W. I. N. Club for cards and luncheon last Friday. Honors at bridge went to Mrs. Harriet Barbour, Mrs. Muriel Drinkwater and Mrs. Mildred Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Gregory attended a special meeting of Lime-rock Valley Pomona held Saturday in Camden. State officers were present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dundas of Great Neck, N. Y. have been visiting friends here, including the William Babcock's.

Mrs. Drayton Martin has returned to Woodside, N. Y., after a two weeks' visit with her aunt, Mrs. Mary Gregory.

Mrs. Alice Gregory and Mrs. Monira Blodgett resumed residence Tuesday in Somerville, Mass., after a three months' stay at their Summer home here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hall visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crossman at their Beech Hill Lake cottage, Ellsworth. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sukeforth of Rockland.

Buchrod Campbell and Miss Adah Hall of Boston were week-end guests of Miss Emily Hall.

Miss Lottie Tierney was dinner guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hall. She returned to Wellesley, Mass., the first of the week.

Mrs. Charles E. Gregory dined Tuesday with Miss Etta Cain in Rockport and was guest Wednesday of Mrs. Anna Brazier in Owl's Head.

Mrs. Albert Sutherland returned Thursday from Lowell, Mass., where she visited her mother, Mrs. John Sutherland.

**ST. GEORGE**  
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James N. Kellogg of Arlington, Mass., returned home Wednesday after spending several weeks at the Warren home.

Miss Pearl Leonard of Rockland is visiting Mrs. Merrill Wall.

Capt. Ira Tupper of Vinalhaven was overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Hill Tuesday.

Misses Virginia Nye and Eleanor Grundstrom of South Weymouth, Mass., have returned home following a two weeks' cruise out of Camden on Capt. Swift's Schooner, "The Mattie." On their way home they were week-end guest of Miss Fausina Robinson.

Mrs. Carl Butler of Brooklyn, N. Y., who has been the guest of Mrs. Merrill Wall, Lt. Butler and Merrill Wall are in the same division of the Army now in Italy.

Mr. and Mrs. August Johnson and daughter, Audrey of Portland are visiting Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robinson.

Clyde Grant, CMM USCG stationed in Florida, is spending several days with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. August Johnson has returned home after several days visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Emma Gilchrist in Camden. Master James Skoglund is now the guest of his grandmother.

St. George Grange is preparing for a supper and auction sale Wednesday, Sept. 20.

Mrs. Elmer Kallio of Quincy, Mass. was the week-end guest of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Oliver Kallio.

Miss Ruth Hazelton of Waterville was the weekend guest of her mother, Mrs. C. D. Hazelton.

Weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hill were their children, Misses Marie and Helen Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Allen and two children of East Hartford, Conn. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hill who are vacationing at their home were also present.

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VINALHAVEN

MRS. OSCAR C. LANE
Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. R. Mont Arey who have spent the vacation at their summer home on Lane's Island, returned Saturday to Rochester, N. Y.

Rev. and Mrs. William Brittain of Peabody, Mass., were recent guests of Mrs. Ethelyn Trefrey.

Ladies of the G.A.R. will hold a picnic at Camp Merrie Macs, Shore Acres, Thursday, if not pleasant, it will be held Friday. All members are invited to attend. Please bring dishes and those not solicited bring sweets. For transportation, cars will be at the band stand at 10:30.

There will be no surgical dressings made until further notice. Mrs. Edward Greenleaf has returned from Hartford, Conn., where she accompanied her daughter Mrs. James Hughes and little daughter, Lloyd Webster, Mr. and Mrs. James Seawell and son James of Weymouth, Mass., arrived Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McNaughton of Norfolk, Va., arrived recently and have purchased the Andrew Ednie house.

Lee Williams of Weymouth, Mass., arrived Saturday.

Mrs. O. V. Drew entertained these guests at "Bridge" Saturday night: Mrs. Blanch Kittredge, Mrs. Tena Christie, Mrs. Sada Robbins. The Eastern Star Club met Friday with Mrs. Madeline Smith. Dinner was served.

Mrs. Frank Thomas was hostess to the Atlantic Avenue Bridge Club Friday night at her home. Lunch was served.

Union Church Choir met Thursday night with Mrs. Leon Arey. Lunch was served after rehearsal.

Mrs. Margaret Coombs has returned from a visit in Auburn.

Mrs. Sada Lennox has returned to her home in Weymouth, Mass., having been the guest of her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Edward Greenleaf.

Carroll Burns, who has been visiting his mother Mrs. Carrie Burns,

returned recently to Boston, Mass. Keith Carver has returned to Boston.

Mrs. Birger Youngquist has returned to Holden, Mass.

Victor Shields and Birger Youngquist, Vinalhaven boys who are in the service, met recently in Italy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Greer returned Wednesday from Sanford where they were called by death of Mr. Greer's father William Greer. Mr. Greer will leave Sunday to report for duty at Camp Croft, South Carolina.

The Bridge Eight will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Tena Christie. Geraldine Robertson recently returned from Boston, Mass.

Mrs. R. H. Thompson returned recently from Jefferson.

Arnold Barton, U. S. Navy, is home on leave of a few days with his family.

Miss Michael Anthony and little daughter have returned from Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gray and daughters Hazel, Frances and Betty have returned to Worcester, Mass. They were accompanied by Mrs. John Whittington and Mrs. Addie Coombs.

Pvt. Joseph Nelson, U.S.A. has returned to report for duty having been the guest of his mother, Mrs. Lettie Nelson. His wife will remain for a longer visit.

Mrs. Mildred Calder returned Monday to Boston.

Maurice Teel, M.M. has returned to New York to report for duty, after visiting his mother, Mrs. Marie Teel, for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Burgess and son Gordon returned Sunday from Bangor where they accompanied their daughter Miss Ellen Burgess who is a student at the Bangor School of Commerce for a secretarial course.

Mrs. Frank Rogers is at North Haven where she has employment at Haven's Inn.

Donald Rice of Rockland has been a guest at the Teel house the past week.

Ensign Ambrose Peterson Jr. who has been home on a leave of a few days left Monday for Baltimore, Md. to join his ship.

Miss Charlotte Wyer and Miss

Lucille Gillis of Thomaston were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carlson.

Vinalhaven's oldest citizen observed his 97th birthday Sept. 7 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Calderwood of this town. Winfield Leadbetter has been in bed since May 28, 1944, but his health is good, and weakness alone confines him to his bed. He had many cards from relatives and friends.

Torfason-Gray Margaret Elizabeth Gray, R.N., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gray of Vinalhaven and Horatio Torfason, B.M.2c, son of Mrs. Mildred Torfason of Boston, formerly of Vinalhaven, were united in marriage Sept. 2 in Rockland by Rev. Roy A. Welker, pastor of the Congregational Church. The single ring service being used. They were attended by Mrs. Cleo Shields and Maurice Teel, M.M. both of Vinalhaven and classmates of bride and groom. The bride is a graduate of Vinalhaven High School, class of 34 and of St. Barnabas Hospital, Portland. She enlisted as Army nurse and served 18 months overseas in the South Pacific. The groom is also a graduate of Vinalhaven High School, class of 34. He is now serving in the U. S. Navy. During Mr. Torfason's tour through the newlyweds are in Rockland on their honeymoon. Their many friends extend best wishes for a happy life together.

John Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Brown of this town and Sergeant Gust Johnson, U.S.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Johnson of Rockland, formerly of Vinalhaven were united in marriage Aug. 31 in Worcester, Mass., in the chapel of Wesley Church by Dr. Nordes. They were attended by Mrs. Edward Penfield (Pauline Smith) and Carter White of Waverly. Both bride and groom were graduates of Vinalhaven High School, class of 37.

The bride wore a navy blue silk suit and wore a corsage of pink flowers. The groom wore a tuxedo and carried a small group of men and boys unearthened three human skeletons from among the ancient shell heaps on Lane's Island. The writer arrived at the spot before the big rush came but before two of the skeletons had been removed from the shallow grave where they were found. One of the three however, remained where it had probably lain for centuries.

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Another view of Vinalhaven's Main street

INTIMATE VIEWS OF VINALHAVEN

History, Home Life and Personal Recollections

By SIDNEY L. WINSLOW

(Fifth Installment)

Somewhat in keeping with this subject of our ancient inhabitants, and perhaps well to mention here, is the following story of an event which took place in Vinalhaven Sunday, May 21, 1939, taken from the "Vinalhaven Neighbor" of May 24, 1939.



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made by the white men and incited a hatred in the hearts of the Indians toward all British settlers and was, it is said, one of the primary causes of the almost continuous warfare waged between English settlers and the Indians.

It is a regrettable fact that many of the men sent here to colonize the coast were of low character, having been recently released from British prisons.

The French adopted different tactics and succeeded in winning the confidence and good will of the red men, the Algonquins, the great tribe to which all Maine Indians belonged. History tells us that Champlain aided the Algonquins in winning a great victory over their ancient enemies, the Iroquois.

"Jesuit missionaries from France," says the historian, "shared the same wigwags, mingled with them, intermarried and converted them to the Christian faith. It is not to be wondered at that in all the intercolonial wars the Indians were the allies of the French and that all British settlements suffered from their attacks."

(To Be Continued)

TENANT'S HARBOR

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Morley have closed their Summer home for the season and returned to Belmont, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Davies of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., have been vacationing at the former home of his grandmother the late Clara Davis.

John Dubar of Massachusetts is a guest of his niece Mr. Leander Wiley.

Miss Maude Morris is home from Milford, Mass., for an indefinite stay with her father Frank Morris and sister Mrs. Bernard Watts.

Joseph McNeil of Attleboro, Mass., is spending a vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Allison Morris and daughter Miss Barbara.

Mrs. Aaron W. Mont has returned to West Hartford, Conn., after spending the Summer with her sister Mrs. Emma M. Torrey.

Mrs. Emma M. Torrey and daughter Mrs. Alice Comstock of Rockland left Tuesday for a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith and family of West Somerville, Mass.

Eric Thorsbjornson entertained friends Saturday night by giving a dance in their barn.

Music was furnished by John Olson, Marguerite Daniels, Nancy Watts, Doris Lombardo of St. George. Refreshments were served by Miss Thorsbjornson.

Those who participated in an evening of fun were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allen, Elaine and Charlene Allen, Edith Anderson, Eleanor and Marguerite Daniels, Albert Enstet, Mr. and Mrs. George Fay, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Frederickson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Holmstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Thure Jacobson, Stanley Jacobson, Doris Lombardo, Marion Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Sven Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Malmstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Malmstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Marriot, Harriet McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Hilding Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. John Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peterson, Ernest and Bawley, and Mrs. Harold Solberg, Eddy Thorsbjornson, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Melquist, Kathleen Thompson. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Damery and sons Gordon and Tommy of Lexington, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Dahl of New York, John and Victor Swanson of Rockland, Archie McLaughlin, B.M.1c of Popham, Francis McLaughlin of Bath, Gust Melquist of Waukegan, Wis. Those unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Errol Holmstrom and son Mrs. Fannie Enstet, Mrs. Marie Nupula, Mrs. Alice Daniels, Miss Edith Daniels, Mrs. Nancy Watts.

ROUND POND

Mr. and Mrs. Warren S. Swett have closed their cottage and returned home to Everett, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hoering and son Paul of Needham, Mass., who spent two weeks' vacation at the Brown Homestead, has returned home.

Mrs. Annie Hinds is ill at the home of Mrs. Charles Brown.

Miss Cynthia Prentice of South Bristol was in town recently calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Shroeder of Brunswick called recently on Mr. and Mrs. Emery Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lane were in Boothbay Harbor recently.

THORNDIKEVILLE

Mrs. Annie Merrill of Morse's Corner, Thomaston has been visiting the past week at Mr. and Mrs. Lester Merrill's.

Miss Marietta Crabtree went Monday to Fairfield where she will begin her Senior year as a student at the high school there.

Miss Muriel Childs who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Clifford Monroe in Brockton, Mass., also friends in Boston and Somerville, returned home Thursday. She was accompanied by Miss Aurie Willis of South Hope, who visited relatives in Dorchester.

Harry Pushaw and family and Joseph Pushaw and family attended the Fair at Windsor Labor Day.

Robert Pushaw is attending high school in Camden.

Arthur Floyd of Each Union is employed at C. C. Childs painting on his house.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Merrill, Mrs. Annie Merrill and Frances Howard called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Heath Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Watson of Dedham, Mass., who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Raymond Crabtree several weeks, is now visiting her grandson Kenneth Crabtree and family in Fairfield.

Mrs. Isabel McNiff of Boston, Mass., was an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Crabtree.

Fred Berry who has been employed at Snow's Shipyard in Rockland, finished work there Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Childs and Mrs. Childs' mother Mrs. Gertrude Wellman of South Hope attended Windsor Fair Monday.

SPRUCE HEAD

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Elwell and daughter Carol of Rockland, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Elwell of Hewitt's Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thomas of Oakland were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Burton.

Mrs. George Wardwell has returned to her home in Wollaston, Mass., after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Cassie McLeod, at her cottage here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Waldron and family, have moved back to Rockland after several weeks' stay at the Waldron farm.

Mrs. Grace York has returned from several days' visit with her daughter Mr. Guy Morse in Machias.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving McLeod and three sons have returned to their home in Portland. They were called here by the death of Mr. McLeod's mother, Mrs. Calvin McLeod.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sturtevant, who have been occupying their Summer home "The Century" on Spruce Head Island have returned to Rockland.

Miss Katherine Davis, Miss Kath-

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Miss Alcada Hall has returned to her teaching duties at Sanford after spending the Summer with her father, Albert Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Spear of Uxbridge, Mass., were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Spear.

James Gilchrist returned home Sunday from the Knox Hospital, Rockland, after a minor operation. The Thomaston Garden Club will meet with Miss Christine Moore at her home Thursday at 3 p. m., instead of with Miss Ruggles, as was previously announced. Each member will bring an arrangement of Fall foliage in her own container.

Mrs. Charles E. Starrett, Jr., underwent an emergency operation Saturday morning at the Knox Hospital, Rockland.

Twenty members of Arcana Lodge, K. of P., and Mayflower Temple, P. S., enjoyed a clam bake and corn roast picnic at the McCarter's farm Sunday.

The gauze has been received for the October and November quota for surgical dressings and work will be resumed at the Red Cross work room on Monday afternoon, Sept. 18 from 2 to 4 p. m.

Mrs. George Davis and infant daughter returned home Friday from Camden Community Hospital. Mrs. Guy Leonard and daughter Glenice left Sunday for Boston. Glenice will attend the Boston University. The School of Practical Arts and Letters.

Mrs. Dana Sawyer is employed at McDonald's drug store, taking Miss Phyllis Hall's place.

The Contract Club met at the Levensaler house Friday afternoon with three tables in play. Mrs. Elizabeth James of East Aurora and Cushing had the highest score; Mrs. Marita Hawley of Thomaston, second and Mrs. Lilla Elliot, third. Mrs. William Flint will be hostess to the club next Friday at her home.

The first meeting of the Eastern Star will be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at Masonic Temple after the Summer recess.

Charles Bell of Whitman is visiting his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bell.

Pic. Orin Wadsworth, husband of Mrs. Barbara Wadsworth, who has been serving overseas, is now in a hospital in San Francisco, receiving medical treatment.

George Tillson, A.S. of the Maritime Service, who is stationed at Sheephead Bay, Brooklyn, N. Y., spent the weekend with his father, Francis Tillson.

Mayflower Temple, P. S., will meet Friday night at 7.30, promptly, and a game party and refreshments will

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Municipal Research

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ices; the average elsewhere is 7.6%. Rockland therefore receives considerably less revenue from this source than average.

Since Rockland depends so heavily upon the property tax, from which it collected \$566,288.61 in 1943, it is of interest to note that 1% of the taxpayers (23) pay nearly 25% of the total property tax; that 2% of the taxpayers (96) pay nearly 50% of the total; that 15% of the taxpayers (633) pay over 75% of the tax; that 35% of the taxpayers (3536) pay a tax of less than \$100; that 43% of the taxpayers (1776) pay a tax of \$4.80 or less; that the average combined property and poll tax paid is \$80.91; that there are a total of 4162 property and poll tax payers (1944 assessment).

The 1944 poll tax assessment on 2264 individuals amounted to \$6792; there are 670 individuals exempt (principally for war service) from this tax. The poll tax collections in 1943 were \$9000.26. The automobile excise (in lieu of personal property) tax collections in 1943 amounted to \$9,877.77 applying to 2164 automobiles. This is also a property tax; only a different collection method is employed, so this collection is included in property tax collection figure above.

The 1943 license and permit tax collections amounted to only \$682.00 consisting principally of marriage (\$274) and bicycle (\$210.75) licenses. The 1943 State aid amounted to \$21,183.27, consisting of education grant-in-aid \$18,926.36, library grant-in-aid \$200, highway grant-in-aid \$67.29, bank stock shared tax \$1,078.47 dog tax shared tax \$496.99, and railroad and telegraph shared tax \$412.16. Against the total of \$21,183.27 State aid to Rockland, Rockland paid a direct property tax of \$50,235.24 to the State; therefore Rockland pays in direct taxes to the State about 2½ times as much as the total of State aid to Rockland.

The 1943 earnings and miscellaneous receipts amounted to \$7141.26, consisting principally (\$5133.76) of service charges for current services, nearly all being department receipts for fees, fire department service outside city, fines and rents. Rockland's total 1943 municipal revenue amounted to \$39,276.40 (\$44.30 per capita), divided \$365,950.87 (\$41.12 per capita) for taxes, \$21,183.77 (\$2.38 per capita) for State Aid, and \$7,141.26 (80c per capita) for earnings and miscellaneous. For all United States cities over 25,000 population, the comparative per capita figures were (1) taxes \$37.34, of which \$32.45 was property tax, (2) aid from other governments \$8.65, of which \$8.09 was State aid, and (3) earnings and miscellaneous \$3.80, of which \$1.95 was charges for current services. This again shows that Rockland receives much more from the property tax, and much less state aid and local government earnings, than average.

As per capita city expenditures tend to increase with size of city, a comparison of Rockland with the average of those cities in the population group 25,000 to 50,000 (the smallest size group of cities for which such figures are available), is even more pointed and valuable. This group derives its revenue (1) \$22.50 per capita on property tax as compared to Rockland \$40.03, and \$24.56 per capita total taxes as compared to Rockland \$41.12; (2) \$5.97 per capita aid from other governments, of which \$4.87 is State aid, compared to Rockland \$2.38 exclusively State aid; and (3) \$3.96 per capita earnings (compared to Rockland 80 cents) of which \$1.77 is charges for current services (compared to Rockland 57 cents). This again shows the comparatively heavy burden placed on the property tax by Rockland.

(To be Continued)

Legal Notice

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Edward R. Vezzie, Mayor
John W. Lane, John J. Wiggin, John J. Perry, Albert J. Brickley, William J. Sullivan, Eliot Gamage, Rodney L. Murphy

Municipal Officers of the City of Rockland.

CAMDEN

MISS HELEN M. RICH
Correspondent
Tel. 2214

Lt. and Mrs. Cyrus Haskell and daughter Mary Ellen of Boston; Pvt. Linnie Conary from Chanute Field, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Barbour and daughter Janet of Deer Isle, and Mrs. Monty Haskell of Deer Isle were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus P. Brown.

David Montgomery leaves Sept. 13 to resume his studies at Phillips Exeter Academy, Exeter, N. H.

Maiden Cliff Rebekah Lodge will meet Wednesday night, Sept. 13 at 7.30. The second nomination of officers will be held.

Mrs. Newell W. Eugley recently visited George G. Teague in Warren, also called on the Misses Seavey of that town.

Miss Margaret Thomas left Saturday for Worcester, Mass., where she will attend Becker College.

Mrs. Harold Weymouth entertained Sept. 8 in honor of her daughter Anne who was celebrating her third birthday. The guests were: Mrs. Gilbert Harmon, Jane Harmon, Mrs. Forest Spear, Carolyn Spear, Mrs. Gerald Dalzell, Jarvis Dalzell, Mrs. Philip Newbert, Priscilla Newbert, Mrs. Harry Roper, Alice and Tommy Roper, Mrs. Ralph Woster, Thelma May Woster, Mrs. Kenneth Weymouth, Kenneth Weymouth, Jr., Mrs. Arthur Dougherty, Priscilla Dougherty, Mrs. Hendrick Waskin, Mrs. Waskin, Mrs. Aldiver Norton of Dark Harbor and David Norton and Mrs. Pearl Walden and Peter Walden.

Miss Janet McKay leaves today to attend Oak Grove Seminary.

Mrs. Harriet King and Miss Katherine King of Newark, N. J. are spending a vacation at their cottage at Megunticook Lake.

Miss Isabel Payson has returned to Becker College, Worcester, Mass.

Thomas McKay, Jr., after a 15-day furlough spent at his home here following his graduation from the Maritime Academy at Castine, has gone to Boston where he will be assigned to a ship.

On Saturday night the office employees of the Camden Shipbuilding & Marine Railway Co., gave a going-away party for Miss Bernice Cunningham who is leaving to join the WAVES. Thirty-three persons were present and Miss Cunningham was the recipient of several gifts.

Mrs. Ethel Savage is enjoying a vacation from her duties at J. H. Hobbs Lumber Co.

Cop. Kathleen Heald, U.S.M.C., W. R. of Arlington, Va. and Sgt. Douglas Heald of Fort Bliss, Texas, have returned to their respective posts after having been guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mont Heald.

The residents of Union street, believing thoroughly in the Good Neighbor Policy, recently gave a surprise shower party to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth (Sam) Heald in honor of their infant son, Richard. Fifteen guests were present.

Peter Paul McGrath, Q. M. 3c has arrived at Asbury Park, N. J., where he will attend a pre-midshipman school prior to entering a naval college in Nov. His address is Sec. 807, U. S. N. R., P. M. S., Asbury Park, New Jersey.

Harry Hodson, Ens. U. S. N. R., lately graduated from a class of Reserve Midshipman at Annapolis, has gone to Miami, Fla., for further training.

Miss Margaret Thomas leaves Saturday to attend Becker College, Worcester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rolerson and son Peter, who have been visiting relatives in town, have returned to their home in Hartford, Conn.

K. Scott Cummings, Belfast road has left to report for duty at Camp Devens, Mass.

John McGrath, who recently spent a few days in Camden, has gone to Washington D. C. to enter the service of the American Red Cross. After a short course of training in Washington, Mr. McGrath expects to be sent overseas as a Field Director.

Mrs. Harold Weymouth will entertain this afternoon in honor of her daughter Anne who is celebrating her third birthday. Among the guests expected are: Mrs. Gilbert Harmon and daughter Jane; Mrs. Forest Spear and Carolyn; Mrs. Gerald Dalzell and son Jarvis; Mrs. Philip Newbert and Priscilla; Mrs. Henry Roper and Alice and Tommy Roper; Mrs. Ralph Woster and Thelma May; Mrs. Kenneth Weymouth and son Kenneth; Mrs. Arthur Dougherty and Priscilla Dougherty; Mrs. Hendrick Waskin and Peter; Mrs. Aldiver Norton of Dark Harbor and son David; Mrs. Pearl Wheeler and Peter; Mrs. Horace Leadbetter and grandchildren Gilbert and Linda Norton; and Mrs. George Crockett.

Maurice Dunbar will conduct the services at the Baptist Church during the vacation of Mr. Dorr. On Sunday, Church School will be held as usual at 9-30. Regular Sunday morning worship will be held at 11 o'clock. There will be no Thursday evening service during Sept. A Naval Tug Rescue Craft ATR 79 will be launched from the Camden Yard this afternoon. Mrs. Mary Lyman, the mother of Richard Lyman, president of Camden Shipbuilding & Marine Railway Co., will

GRANGE CORNER

News items from all of the Patrons of Husbandry are welcomed here.

Limerock Valley Pomona Grange, met with Owl's Head Grange, for afternoon and evening session, on Sept. 9. All subordinate Granges in this jurisdiction were represented, excepting Pencobscoot View and the Island Granges. Literature regarding "Road Fund Protection Amendment" was distributed and a letter of explanation was read by the Secretary Scott Rackliff. The following program was presented by the Lecturer, Lucia S. Hopkins: Opening song, by all; greeting, Sybil Anderson of Owl's Head; response, Sara R. Young of Megunticook; discussion: "Educational, financial and social and moral benefits derived from our meetings." Several members discussed this subject in a very able and interesting manner. Reading by Lillian Rackliff, "The House by the Side of the Road"; recitation by Sybil Anderson and readings by Evelyn Ross and Belle Roberts were also enjoyed.

The speaker of the day was Miss Joyce Johnson, H.D.A. of Knox-Lincoln Counties. Her subject, "Christmas in September," was very timely as it dealt with the packing of Christmas boxes to be sent overseas. She gave some very good suggestions as to what to send and how to pack it. Closing thought, Mary Nash.

A delicious supper was served by the host grange, which all enjoyed. The evening program was in charge of Mrs. Albert MacPhail and consisted of music, recitations, stories and readings.

A rising vote of thanks was given Owl's Head Grange for their fine hospitality and the next Pomona Grange meeting will be with Megunticook Grange, Camden, Oct. 14. State Lecturer as guest speaker.

be the sponsor. Following the launching Mrs. Clinton Lunt will entertain at her home on Harden avenue with a tea in honor of Mrs. Lyman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Keller and Mrs. Noyes Farmer and daughter Joyce were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Verny Grey and Mrs. Velma Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Hastings of South Hope and Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Hastings and son, William, of Spruce street, visited relatives in Rutland and Worcester last week-end.

Master Donald H. Hastings visited Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey L. Pearce of Hope recently.

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The Canning Center

Successful Despite Lack Of Produce—Still Canning For School Lunches

A very successful season at the canning center is reported by Mrs. Ralph C. Clarke, chairman, in spite of lack of produce due to the dry weather and failure of Victory gardens. There were 5172 cans of corn, beans, carrots, apples peaches and greens of various kinds, put up, with 1985 cans being retained for the school lunch program.

Mrs. Christine Stanley was in charge and she was assisted by Miss Pearl Leonard, Mrs. Charles Morris and Mrs. Crockett. Appreciation is expressed by the chairman and directors for the work done by volunteers and for the produce which was donated for the school lunch and hospital programs.

Volunteers and time spent were as follows: 28 hours, Mrs. Hattie Barbour, Mrs. Mary Weisman, Mrs. Kenneth George and Miss Geraldine Brewster, this being one full four hour shift for each of the seven weeks.

Six weeks, 24 hours: Mrs. Fred Linekin, Mrs. A. D. Morey, Mrs. Alice Mason, Mrs. William Ellingwood, Mrs. Neil Perry, Mrs. H. P. Blodgett, who worked a double shift during this time.

Five weeks, of 20 hours, Mrs. Burton Flanders, Mrs. Joseph Emery, Sr., Mrs. Ivy Brackett.

Four weeks, Mrs. Lena Merrill, Mrs. Josephine Rice, Mrs. Ella Hyland, Mrs. George Wooster, Mrs. Grace Lurvey, Mrs. Laura Buswell, Mrs. Mabel Harding, Mrs. Clara Kelsey, Mrs. H. L. Jackson, Mrs. Fern Horeysek, Mrs. Eliura Hamlin, Mrs. Hazel Ford, Miss Abbie MacDonald, Miss Alice Erskine, Mrs. Harriet Frost and Mrs. Hattie Davies.

Three weeks, Mrs. Inez Ames, Mrs. Katherine Haines, Mrs. Murray Whalen, Miss Eleanor Daugherty.

Two weeks, Miss Dorothy Gordon, Mrs. Ruth Rogers, Mrs. David McCarty, Mrs. Ralph Smith, Mrs. Jennie Feyler, Mrs. Bessie Sumner, Mrs. George Wood, Mrs. Ervin Haskell, Mrs. Mabel Brewster, Mrs. Evelyn Crockett, Mrs. Helen Bean, Miss Mabel Spring, Mrs. Alice Jameson, Miss Jeannette Gordon, Mrs. Charles A. Emery and Mrs. Ethel Campbell.

Four hours, Mrs. Elizabeth Pason, Mrs. William Spear, Mrs. Sara Marsh, Mrs. Harry Dow, Mrs. Dorinda Coughlin, Mrs. Betty Pomerooy, Mrs. Isidor Gordon, Mrs. Ida Dondis, Mrs. Theda O'Neil, Mrs. Virginia Anderson, Mrs. Earle Sayward, Mrs. Walter Ladd, Mrs. Faith Berry, Mrs. Edward Hellier, Mrs. Adah Roberts, Mrs. Wilbur Senter, Mrs. Gilmore Soule, Mrs. Freeman

ROCKPORT

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Officers of Harbor Light Chapter, O. E. S., will meet at Masonic hall Tuesday night at 7 for practice for inspection.

Mrs. Elbridge Grafton and Mrs. Beulah Rivard spent the week-end in Boston.

Miss Mary Havener of Portsmouth, N. H., is visiting her aunt Mrs. Ethel York for two weeks.

Mrs. Marion Richards returned Monday to New York City after spending several weeks at her home here.

Miss Marion Weidman and Mrs. Ibra Ripley of Rockland are visiting in New York for a week.

A shower was given Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Crockett for Mr. and Mrs. Langdon Crockett of Rockland. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carr, Lieut. and Mrs. Harold Kaler, Miss Natalie Nash, Robert Crockett, of Rockland; Mrs. Harvey Crockett, Thomaston; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Crockett and son Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crockett and son Harold, Rockport; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Crockett of Bath; Mr. and Mrs. Vere Crockett, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Staples, Miss Shirley Staples, Miss Priscilla Crockett, and Miss Virginia Nash, Rockport. Many gifts were received, refreshments were served and the evening spent with games.

The Thimble Club will meet Wednesday night with Mrs. Charles Cavanaugh.

Mrs. Gertrude Pease of Portsmouth, N. H., has been visiting in town for a few days.

A surprise party was given Mrs. Jennie Ingraham Saturday night by friends from Camden, Rockland, Rockport and Vinalhaven.

Mrs. Newton Grafton left Monday for a week's visit in Boston.

F. Brown, Mrs. Lorita Bicknell, Mrs. Gladys Chisholm, Mrs. G. C. Hopkins, Mrs. Charles Merritt, Miss Grace LaForgia and Mrs. Walter Barstow.

Canning for the school lunch program is to be continued for a few weeks in the home economics classes under the direction of Miss Katherine Taylor, and anyone having surplus produce to donate are asked to notify Principal Joseph E. Blaisdell and it will be called for.

Persons who would like to can their own produce there may do so on the same basis as the canning center was operated, by getting in touch with Mr. Blaisdell.

Manville-Spear

The Baptist Church was the scene of a pretty wedding Sunday at 4 o'clock when Miss Norma J. Spear, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Spear, became the bride of Mr. Leonard Manville of Atlanta, Ga. Rev. C. Vaughn Overman, pastor of the Baptist Church, officiated, using the double ring service. The bride wore a gown of brocaded tulle with a white tulle veil and carried a bouquet of white garden flowers.

Her maid of honor was Dorothy R. Norton of Brighton, Mass. Bridesmaids were Barbara C. Woodward, wearing aqua tulle; Marie Jorie Brodie, wearing pink tulle; Althea Joyce in yellow tulle, and Erma Smith in blue satin. All carried bouquets of sweet peas and baby's breath. Sandae Erickson was the flower girl and the ring bearer was Clement Farnham.

Richard E. Zierbut, OM3c of Chicago was the best man, and ushers were Carl Rosenberger, AMO3c; James Wisely, AS; Gordon Tucke, S2c; James Sheldon, S2c; Edward Alexander, S2c, and James Riordan, S2c.

The church was decorated with gladioli and dahlias.

A reception at the Spear home followed the church ceremony.

The bridegroom is stationed at the Rockland Naval Air Facility.

Major Elmer E. who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Camden road, halting, Va.

Daniel Weston, Lieut. and Mrs. celebrated his six day by entertaining lawn at his home. Games were played in red, white and cream and cake, being decorated blue, also. Each received an American of favors. The Sandra Leigh, Pat and Donna Mary Alice and Dobbins; Freddy Robinson, Fred Moffitt, Eon Conway, John Leigh Soule. The potato race at the sack race.

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Social Matters

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nivison, son, Robert, and daughters, Susan and Nancy, have returned to their home in Appleton, Wis., after spending the Summer at Crescent Beach. Enroute home they are visiting in Waterville and in Nashua, N. H.

Dr. Ruth N. McBeath, who has been here since the middle of June, left Saturday for her home in Altadena, Calif. Dr. McBeath was accompanied as far as Boston by her sister, Mrs. Mary Scariott, who will spend the Winter with her daughter Mrs. Ruth Mairs in Quincy.

Mr. and Mrs. Arde Johnson have returned home from a nine day trip during which they visited Bangor, Ellsworth, Eastport, Calais and St. Stephen, N. B. Enroute home they were guests for several days in Portland of Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Guy Lord, and family, formerly of Rockland.

Mrs. Elizabeth Clark of Augusta is visiting Mrs. Choris Jenkins of Pleasant street.

Major Elmer E. Barce and family, who have been visiting Mrs. Barce's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. House, Camden road, have returned to Arlington, Va.

Daniel Weston Soule, son of 1st Lieut. and Mrs. Gilmore W. Soule, celebrated his sixth birthday Saturday by entertaining friends on the lawn at his home on Broad street.

Games were played and refreshments, served from a table decorated in red, white and blue, included ice cream and cake, his birthday cake being decorated in red, white and blue, also. Each of his guests received an American flag and a box of favors. Those present were Sandra Leigh, Patty Sweeney, Austin and Donna Sylvester, Patricia, Mary Alice and Agnes Kent, Sonia Dobbins, Freddy Goodnow, Freddy Robinson, Freddy Wilbur, Eddie Moffitt, Eon Vardavoullis, Douglas Conway, John Black and Mary Leigh Soule. Freddy Robinson won the potato race and Douglas Conway the sack race.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. McAuliffe and Goldie L. McAuliffe and daughter Dian have returned home after spending a week in Boston.

Mrs. Abbie Hanscom was hostess to the Dorcas Club yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Marion Cobb Fuller of Augusta entertained a group of friends at a delightful luncheon at the Copper Kettle Friday.

Mrs. Ella S. Bird is visiting at the home of her son, Elmer S. Bird, 2d, in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Russell are visiting Mr. Russell's brother, Abbott A. Russell in Poland, Maine.

Mrs. William Frye, who has been occupying one of the Duncan cottages at Holiday Beach the past three months, has returned to her home in Pittsburgh.

William H. Weed, Sr., and daughter, Eleanor, have returned from New London, Conn., where Miss Weed has been spending the Summer with her aunt, Mrs. Cecil A. Beebe.

Among tomorrow's happenings, against which nation should we guard most carefully as to encroachments on power, China, Great Britain or Russia, our present allies? Educational Club forum at 3 p. m., Friday, Sept. 15, Mrs. Lena Merrill, hostess.

Mrs. George W. Smith entertained her contract club Friday afternoon. Mrs. William W. Graves was a special guest.

The Albert H. Newbert Association will meet Thursday night at the Crescent Beach cottage of Mr. and Mrs. George L. St. Clair. Housekeepers will be Mrs. Laura Maxey, Mrs. Gertrude Payson and Mrs. Gertrude Boddy.

E. Carl Moran will address Educational Club on Municipal Government at its opening at 3 p. m., Friday. Mrs. Lena Merrill will be the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Colamore will entertain E. P. A. Club Wednesday afternoon at her home on the Camden road.

Verna Marie Studley celebrated her third birthday with a lawn party on Ocean street. Many small flags and bright colored flower gardens made an attractive setting. Refreshments were served and many lovely gifts were received including a war bond. Those attending were Judy Carver, Patricia Gac, Alice Lord, Janet and Robert Ripley, Sandra Sylvester, Yvonne and Charles Salminen, Arnold Brewer, Dennis Skinner, Judy, Dorothy and Barbara Childs, Brenda McKinney, Dianne and Janice Phillips of Rockland and Gwen Wincapaw and Lester Black, Jr., of Friendship. Other guests were Mrs. Ignatius Gac, Mrs. Sherman Lord, Mrs. Carlton Ripley, Mrs. Ted Sylvester, Mrs. George Britto, Mrs. Arnold Salminen, Mrs. James Skinner, Mrs. Robert Brewer, Mrs. Edward Childs, Mrs. Frank McKinney, Mrs. Lewis Phillips, Mrs. H. Pearle Studley and Miss Gloria Studley of Rockland and Mrs. P. D. Winchenbaugh, Mrs. Lester Black, Mrs. Kenneth Wincapaw and Miss Joan and Ava Winchenbaugh of Friendship.

Perry Rich of Glen Cove has returned from a trip to Boston and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason C. Westerfield of Damariscotta and New York, and Mrs. W. O. Fuller were Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. John Newman. The Westerfields have recently bought a cottage on Mountain street in Camden and are having it made ready for occupancy as a Summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Adams of Melrose, Mass., were in the city over the week-end. Mr. Adams coming here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Dyer of South Portland visited Rockland and Camden friends over the week-end.

Mrs. Esther Bird returned to New York yesterday after a brief visit here.

Mrs. Edward Gonla is attending the Boston Gift Shows at the Parker House and the Statler.

Tonian Circle will meet tomorrow night with Mrs. Kenneth Wiggins, Broadway.

Pvt. Donald C. Haskell, who is stationed at Camp Pickett, Va., came Sunday for a short visit with his wife at their home on Talbot avenue.

Edwin Libby Relief Corps is having a picnic supper in Grand Army Hall Thursday at 6 o'clock, in honor of Mrs. Eliza Plummer, who is visiting here. Those not solicited will please take sweets.

Charity Club will meet at the Copper Kettle Thursday for luncheon.

Baraca Class will meet tomorrow night in the vestry.

Miss Hester Cunningham of Searsmont and Miss Linda Ladd are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Rokes at their Owl's Head farm.

Mrs. Ann Warner left Saturday for a 10-days' stay in Boston.

Buy War Bonds and Stamps

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Tibbetts and Miss Maerice Blakington visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Huse N. Tibbetts in Deering.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Iott and son, Mrs. Minnie Colson, and Mrs. Clara Pernal, spent Labor Day in Bar Harbor and while there ascended Cadillac Mountain.

Lucille Carter Wakefield, Fred Pfeiffer, 82, U.S.N., Evelyn Smith, and John Gray, USCG, STIC were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Lancaster and son, Tyrone, of Portland.

When will Rockland be able to lease its airport (or field) for commercial flying, as Bar Harbor has already done? Why should this city wait when even Searbor Brewster commends Bar Harbor for this action?

It's hard to think of Christmas buying these days—but do it now.

Have you heard of the booby birds? They carry off the Army cats in the South Atlantic.

Anger is almost always caused by temper on the loose, while patience most probably could be temper on a leash.

An "ad" that brings a smile: "Shefford Snappy is the pappy of package cheese."

Maine clams contain more protein, carbohydrates and minerals than the oyster, and you know how highly the oyster rates, dietetically speaking.

Life can afford no higher pleasure than that of surmounting difficulties.

If 5000 Air Force men return to America monthly, what happens to the 5000 needed to fill their places?

Diogenes met a war veteran. "What did you do in the war?" he asked sternly.

"I was a private," answered the soldier.

Diogenes blew out his lamp and went home.

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Is The Enrollment In Rockland High School, But Slightly Less In City

Rockland schools opened Tuesday with an enrollment of 1591, only 19 less than on the opening day last year. Superintendent Robert B. Lunt is especially gratified because of the fact that the registration in the High School is 16 larger than last year, indicating that the trend here is for young men and women to pursue their studies rather than continue employment. Mr. Lunt thinks that possibly some children may be absent on the opening days and that last year's registration may be reached within a few days.

School	1944	1943
Senior High School	416	400
Junior High School	294	287
McLain Building	331	373
Purchase Street	218	214
Tyler Building	223	226
Grace Street	43	50
Crescent Street	49	41
Benner Hill	17	19
Totals	1591	1610

The registration by grades was as follows:

Sub-Primary	136
One	135
Two	124
Three	124
Four	110
Five	109
Six	127
Seven (Junior High)	159
Eight (Junior High)	135
Nine High School Freshmen	133
Ten High School Sophomores	103
Eleven High School Juniors	84
Twelve High School Seniors	84
Total	1591

Honey For The Heart

A Message Which May Bring Comfort To Those Afflicted

M. L. Turner of Lincolnville sends this paper a little pamphlet, entitled "Honey; Its Value in Heart Failure," which appeared in "Life and Health" some time ago. The author was G. N. W. Thomas, M. B. Ch. B. and because of the general interest the article is bound to have the following extracts are published.

"In severe cases of malnutrition with heart weakness, I have found that honey has had a marked effect in reviving the heart action, and keeping the patient alive, and I have further evidence of this in a recent case of pneumonia.

The patient consumed two pounds of honey during the illness; there was an early crisis with no subsequent rise of temperature, and an exceptionally good pulse. Instead of depending on milk and beef extracts, as is done in so many cases of fever when the storage of sugar in the body is rapidly being used up, I suggest that honey should be given for general physical repair, and above all for heart failure. For reasons similar to those given above, grapes constitute a valuable adjunct. Herbivorous animals thrive on clover, no doubt because of the nectar which is probably vitaminous in the white and red clover flowers. "My son, eat thou honey, because it is good." Prov. 24:13—London Lancet.

"Lancet Editor's note: It is stated that honey contains both the fat-soluble and the water-soluble vitamins. Various enzymes, such as invertase are present. The nectar, containing fairly high properties of sucrose, is digested in the crop of the bee by means of invertase secreted by glands in the head and thoracic regions. Conversion however, is incomplete in the bee itself, as it continues after the honey has been deposited in the hive.

"On these findings honey constitutes a valuable food since it contains carbohydrates in a form suitable for direct absorption. The claim is made that honey seldom gives rise to fermentation in the alimentary canal, since the dextrose and levulose, being nonsaccharides, are absorbed so rapidly that there is little time for bacterial action. This would commend it for infants and children, especially to ward off deficiency diseases. The fatty-acid content is of more or less value in stimulating peristalsis and digestion. It seems, therefore, that Doctor Thomas's plea for the consideration and extended use of honey has sound biochemical basis."

FLAME-PROOFING SERVICE

Will Be Available For Household Textiles and Garments Before Long

Following the fatal circus fire in Hartford, Conn., public interest has increased in flame-proofing service for household textiles and garments, according to the American Institute of Laundering. After every major fire it receives numerous requests from member plants on flame-proofing methods.

While the war labor shortage prevents general adoption of flame-proofing by professional laundries at present, the service is expected to be widely available when wartime restrictions are lifted. But since professional laundries can best apply flame-proofing compounds to

The Mank Reunion

Held In Maple Grange Hall With An Attendance Of 118

The popularity of the Mank Reunion, should be so universally known that at this time it needs but little or no commendation. However I would like to say that we held our 30th reunion in Maple Grange Hall at North Waldboro Aug. 30 and regardless of restrictions 118 came out.

The forenoon was passed as usual and at 12:30 o'clock all were called to the dining room where they found the table laden with a luscious baked bean picnic dinner, presided over by a number of efficient waitresses. Grace was asked by Rev. Elizabeth Mank after which all were at liberty to satisfy their inner man.

At 2 p. m. all were assembled in the spacious hall above when President L. I. Mank called to order and presided over the business meeting. It was moved and carried that the officers be re-elected for the ensuing year. Other business being disposed of, the meeting was closed in form and turned over to Mrs. Edith Reynolds who presented the following program:

"To Our Boys in the Service." While the National Anthem was being sung, the curtain rose and there was Old Glory being waved by an unseen electric fan, while Pfc. Jasper Storer in full dress uniform saluted it and stood at attention during the song. This made a very pretty as well as an impressive scene as the stage was banked with two large baskets of beautiful flowers donated by Miss Ruth Burnheimer. Invocation by Rev. Frederick Heath; Memorial for those who had passed on; the mixed quartet sang "Abide With Me"; piano solo by Felix; remarks by Rev. Elizabeth Mank, solo by Mrs. Elsie Mank, accompanied by Miss Esper Mank; vocal duet, Miss Edna Howard and Miss Muriel Parker; remarks by Rev. Sidney Packard; vocal solo by little Marilyn Reynolds, "Jesus Loves Me"; duet, by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mank; remarks and story by Miss Edna Howard; the quartet sang (by request) "Blue Gables"; short address by Rev. Heath; duet by Mrs. Ruby Allen and Mrs. Dorothy Jameson; remarks by Mrs. Fernald.

A letter written last year by W. R. Walter, was then read by the secretary. Quartet sang Calvary; remarks by Pfc. Jasper Storer; remarks and closing prayer by Miss Muriel Parker singing "Blest Be The Tie That Binds." Again we went to the dining room where ice cream was served. This was obtained through the efforts of the Misses Margaret Mank and Irma Pietila. Mrs. Cora Mank served as pianist for all quartet and duet numbers. The quartet was thus composed: Soprano, Mrs. Cora Mank; tenor, Rev. Sidney Packard; alto, Mrs. Edith Reynolds; bass, Herbert Mank. The whole program was carried out with great precision and each was an artist in the part played. Members were present this year from parts of Massachusetts, Camden Rockland, Thomaston, Warren, Washington, Union and various villages of Waldboro, Maine. We all feel this a day to be long remembered. F. A. F.

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RAZORVILLE

Mrs. Blanch Johnston visited at Edith Overlock's several days this week.

Elmer Hoch of Waldboro has visited his cousin Mrs. Lottie Jones. Sarah Day of Union visited with Maud Howard recently and to-

POULTRY PIONEERS HAVE REUNION

A&P BOOSTS PROFITS FOR EGG PRODUCERS BY LOWER COSTS AND EFFICIENT DISTRIBUTION



Founders of the first college poultry husbandry departments in U. S. and Canada are shown here in reunion with two former pupils at the Northeastern Poultry Producers Council convention in New York City. W. R. Graham (left) founded first department at Ontario Agricultural College in Canada. James Rice (second from left), Mexico, N. Y., founded first department in United States at Cornell University. Howard C. Pierce (standing), of A&P Food Stores, former pupil of Rice, founded poultry husbandry study at Iowa State College at Ames, Ia. H. A. McAleer (right), Eddy Paper Company, Rockford, Ill., former pupil of Graham, perfected first fiber egg shipping case and is former chief of U. S. Agricultural Department's food research laboratory.

WITH THE EXTENSION AGENTS AND THE KNOX-LINCOLN FARM BUREAU



A typical Maine pasture

Agricultural Notes

Dairymen who were fortunate to have a good pasture the past summer found that it pays. Wallace Spear & Son, North Nobleboro, Joe Chapman & Son, Damariscotta, Arthur Hall, Jefferson, Round Top Farms, Damariscotta, report good feed in their pastures in spite of the dry weather.

These men have been in close contact with the County Farm Bureau and Extension Service of the University of Maine and have followed the various dairy practices recommended to them. They are all members of the County Dairy Herd Improvement Association and keep in close touch with all the latest developments along the dairy lines. Their pasture improvement work includes lime, manure with superphosphate ladino clover and pasture rotation.

Dairymen in this county who wish the latest information on pasture work, better quality roughage and better stock should contact the County Agent and be placed on the mailing list to receive the information sent out from the Rockland office.

With The Homes

War-time Information Service is the subject of the agent series of meetings which will be held in all communities in the next two months. Timely information will

"BRIDGE EDITOR" PAGER

Contract Bridge Editor:—From the articles appearing in your paper you seem to know a great deal about bridge and the laws and ethics; so perhaps you will clear up a point on which there has been varying opinions. What constitutes a misdeal during the play of the hand? If it appears that during the play one player has less than the stipulated thirteen cards, does that circumstance constitute a misdeal? If you would print your answer to this query in your paper I am sure it would save many arguments in many groups of players. K. C.

gether they attended Windsor Fair. Schools in town began Wednesday. Francis Crooker of Washington Mills being the teacher in Razorville school. Minnie Cramer who has taught here three years is at the Dodge. Frank Edgecomb has returned to Lewiston to attend school. The Bradstreets have returned to their home in Rhode Island to begin school.

RED CROSS DRESSINGS

Sterile gauze neatly folded. By careful fingers, pressed and molded to measured squares. Then stacked in ordered piles. And corded with string and prayers. Stiff white fingers, long and pointed. Short ones, knobby and swollen jointed. Out of the kitchen, from shop and room. From desk and parlor and furnished room—American fingers working with speed. Folding and pressing the Red Cross dressing. Against his need.

At Turnpike Corners, Smithtown, Boston. At Ridgewood, Sharpburg, Palm Beach, Austin. In stores and churches, in schools and courts. In town halls, granges and health resorts. American sweethearts, wives and mothers. Sisters, grandmothers, aunts and others. Folding their love and a fervent blessing into each tiny Red Cross dressing. Alice Hatch in New York Herald-Tribune.

KEEP FAITH WITH THEM! BUY MORE WAR BONDS

Impressive Figures

Maine Canning Centers Have Processed Nearly 200,000 Cans

With all but six of the 36 Maine canning centers closed as of Sept. 1, estimates of production figures point to the fact that in the seven week operational figures, 36 centers canned more produce than 42 centers processed in 1942 in eight weeks. Final production figures have not yet been computed, but in 1942, 197,087 cans were processed.

Since adverse weather conditions have seriously affected the food production in Maine, a plan has been adopted by the State Department of Education to continue the canning of food after the school season opens. Miss Florence L. Jenkins, State Director of the project has announced. The plan includes the processing of food for the school lunch program in schools where there is a home economics department. Canning may be done by students or by students with the assistance of a few adult volunteers as long as there is sufficient food to be canned in local areas.

Last year, 61,080 cans were processed in the fall canning program in the schools. The State will lend equipment to the schools desirous of adopting this canning program so that as much canning as is feasible may be done. Surplus foods donated to the schools will be retained completely for the school lunch. In those instances where the people in the community send in food to be canned, one pint out of five will be retained for the school lunches.

Fall canning by home economics teachers and classes will be done during the school day by students and by a few adult volunteers. The Citizens Service Corps will assist in getting produce to the school in the desired amounts and rendering volunteer service at the school.

A Bridge Query

This Inquirer Receives Very Prompt Reply From "A Student"

The following letter has been received with a stamped return envelope; however, I am printing letters and answers in this column as this question may have come up in other "so-much-a-corner" games:

The Inquiry

We play a game we call "Poverty Bridge." Each of us puts 25 cents in the pot. Then we play for a nickel a rubber each. Once in a while the couple winning the rubber will not have the highest score. This starts an argument as to which couple wins the nickel.

The Answer

There actually should be no argument, for regardless of which pair first gets two games, the pair scoring the greater number of points is winner of the rubber. Otherwise, you could make sure of winning two games before your opponents by simply bidding seven no trump on every hand. You need not care how many points you lost by going down. Eventually, which you could make this extravagant contract. And if the total points meant nothing, you would have won the rubber.

The entire system of penalty doubles and sacrifice bidding is due to the fact that the object in bridge is to score as many points as possible, not merely to score games. "Poverty Bridge" sounds like a very good game for those who wish to "play for something," and yet do not wish to win or lose more than a certain amount.

I might add that people who "play for fun" seldom become good bridge players as the fun seems always to supersede the skill.

A Student

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Esther H. Doolittle

Back to school again! The reopening of school this week brings back many students and teachers, both old and new to the library. We extend a cordial welcome to you all, and invite you to make liberal use of the library and its resources. The library is open week-days from 9 a. m. until 8:30 p. m. and you will find the entire staff ready to serve you at all times.

The Summer Reading Club will close Sept. 15. All those who have read ten books will have completed the club. Those who have not finished their ten are urged to do so as the certificates and prizes are to be awarded at the close.

The Annual Meeting of the Maine Library Association will meet in Waterville Sept. 28 and 29. This is the first meeting of the Association in two years.

Two books a year, one on nature

and one on Maine are to be added to the library each year, in memory of Mrs. Hester Chase. The first two books have already arrived. "Trending into Maine" by Kenneth Roberts. This is a revised edition. The other "Guide to Wild Flowers" by Taylor. Chases' niece, Miss Hester Hatch of Augusta.

Some of the new books added to the shelves:

Fiction

Lost Week-end, by C. Jackson. Trumpet To Arms, Bruce Lancaster. Joseph the Provider, Thomas Mann. Presidential Agent, Upton Sinclair. Leave Her To Heaven, Ben Ames Williams.

Simone, Lion Feuchtwanger. Island In The Sky, Ernest K. Gann. Lebanon, Caroline Miller. Valley of the Sky, H. D. Skidmore. History of Rome Hanks, Stanley Pennell.

Light Fiction

Heart's Haven, Sara Ware Bassett. Lone Star Ranger, Jackson Cole. The Wilderness Trek, Zane Grey. Challenge to Anne, Dorothy Quentin. Girl Next Door, A. T. Brooks. A Home For Him, J. Bowman. Maverick Canyon, Clem Colt. Brief Glory, R. Du Jardin. Towards Zero, Agatha Christie. They Shall Come Again, Ruth Comfort Mitchell. Trouble At Double Triangle, Tex Holt.

Alibi For Isabel and Other Stories, Mary Roberts Rinehart. The Renegade Cowboy, Clem Colt.

War Books

The Nazis Go Underground, Curt Riess. I Never Left Home, Bob Hope. Ten Years In Japan, Joseph Grev. Onwards To Victory, Winston Churchill. The Road To Foreign Policy, Hugh Gibson. U. S. War Aims, Walter Lippman. The Time For Decision, Summer Wells. Raymond Clapper Watch the World, Olive Clapper ed. Eisenhower, Man and Soldier, Francis T. Miller. Germany, the Last Phase, Gunnar Phil.

Other Non-Fiction

Miracle of America, Andre Maurois. Sea-born, James B. Connolly. Letters of Alexander Woolcott, Kaufman & Hennessey eds. My Unconsidered Judgement, Noel Busch. Heaven Below, E. H. Clayton. Anna and the King of Siam, Margaret Landon.

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